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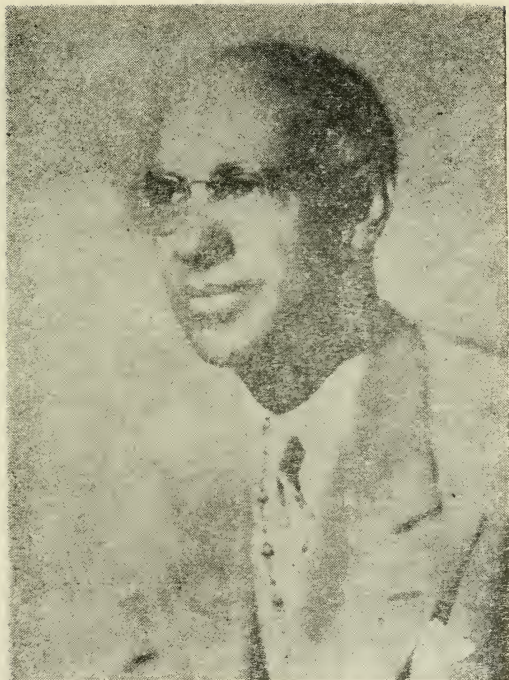
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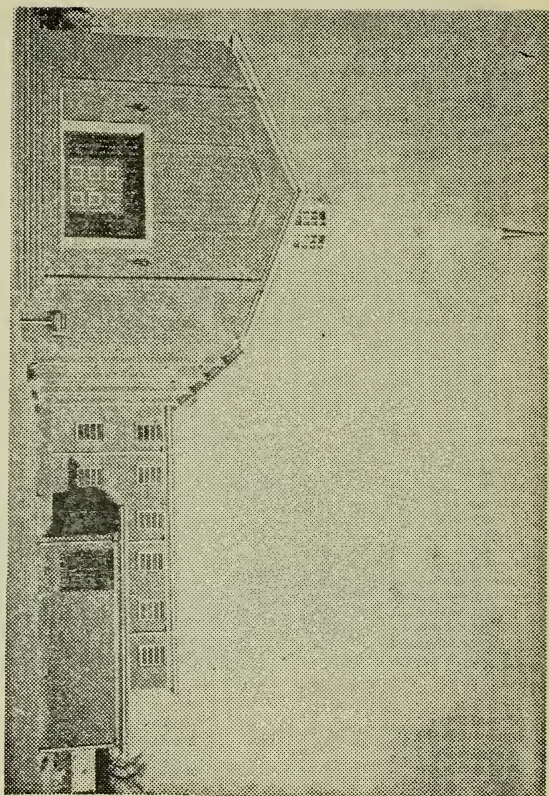
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J. H. Spinks Route 1, Box 41 A, Ramseur, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Macy Harris Route 1, Box 356, Asheboro, N. C.
- Leaksville
G. B. Johnson 150 Galloway St., Leaksville, N. C.
B. K. Roberts 118 Galloway St., Leaksville, N. C.
- Mt. Tabor
Mrs. J. W. Shuford 509 Bennett St., Greensboro, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. Arthur Crump 1073 Retreat St., Greensboro, N. C.
- Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill
Harry Whitsett 408 Marshall St., Greensboro, N. C.

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Sanford CT.

- Mrs. Mary F. Smith Route 2, Box 257, Lillington, N. C.
 H. Bend and St. Mark
 D. R. McGirt P. O. Box 413, Rowland
 Mt. Olive, Lumberton and Beauty Spot
 Clarence Francis Holly St., Lumberton
 A. R. McNair R. F. D. Rowland, N. C.

John Wesley

- Edward Henderson 1911 Newark St., Fayetteville
 Mrs. Maxine Carter 1013 Albert St.
 New Zion and Pembroke
 Mrs. Maggie Addison R. F. D. 3, Rowland, N. C.
 Mrs. Beatrice Smith Pembroke, N. C.

John's and Piney Grove

- Miss A. Armstrong Laurinburg, N. C.
 Douglass Maxton, N. C.

Charlotte

- W. T. Harris 529 E. 9th St., Charlotte, N. C.
 Mrs. T. H. Wooten P. O. Box 1026, Charlotte, N. C.

Laurinburg

- Mrs. Margaret Ghee 709 Harrison St., Laurinburg, N. C.
 Miss E. R. McLean 110 Pine St., Laurinburg, N. C.

Hamlet

- J. M. Roberson P. O. Box 844, Hamlet, N. C.
 William Fairly Route 1, Box 61, Hamlet, N. C.

Millers

- J. D. Pone Route 2, Box 300, St. Paul, N. C.
 Clarence Rozier Route 2, Box 376, St. Paul, N. C.

Wilmington

- Mrs. Catherine Wray 421 Oak St., Wilmington, N. C.

Hoffman

- Miss Olivia L. Peace Route 1, Box 55, Hoffman, N. C.
 J. D. McLeod Route 1, Hoffman, N. C.

WINSTON DISTRICT

- Advance—Miss Ida C. Crews P. O. Box 27, Advance, N. C.
 Reserve—Miss Liola Lysenby Route 2, Advance, N. C.
 Brooks Mem.—Mrs. L. B. Haizlip 212 Vial St., High Point, N. C.
 St. Andrews—Miss Beatrice Watts 1417 4th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
 Reserve—Mr. A. W. Harper .. 355 Dixie Broadway, Winston-Salem, N. C.
 Oak Grove—Mrs. Ruth Brock 3826 Carver Rd., Winston-Salem, N. C.
 Reserve—B. D. McCoy 4915 Old Rural Hall Rd., Winston-Salem, N. C.
 St. Homes—Mrs. Sallie McGee 1438 Cherry St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
 Rural Hall—Mrs. Agnes Tillman P. O. Box 207, Pilot Mt., N. C.
 Reserve—Mr. L. C. Eldridge P. O. Box 384, Rural Hall, N. C.
 Mt. Airy—Mrs. Jessie Leath R. 6, Box 501, Mt. Airy, N. C.
 Reserve—W. T. Holland R. 6, Box 452, Mt. Airy, N. C.
 Elkin and Jonesville—Mrs. Lula Hickerson P. O. Box 354, Ronda, N. C.
 Reserve—Mrs. Estella Hinson 115 Bridge St., Elkin, N. C.
 Mt. Pleasant—Mrs. J. C. Rush 808 Graham Ave., Winston-Salem, N. C.
 Reserve—Miss Catherine Warren 1452 N. Woodland Ave.,
 Winston-Salem, N. C.
 Madison—Miss Ruth Goosby Rt. 1, Box 55, Walnut Cove, N. C.
 Reserve—Miss Bessie A. Franklin Box 172, Madison, N. C.
 St. Mark—Mrs. T. Y. Brincefield 215 Underhill, High Point, N. C.
 Reserve—L. E. Whitter 1022 Leonard St., High Point, N. C.
 Trinity—Miss Rachel Steel General Del., Trinity, N. C.
 Reserve—Mrs. Lola Green Rt. 3, High Point, N. C.

Thomasville—Mrs. W. J. Cameron

East Thomasville—Mrs. Gertrude Thigpin, 121 Smith St., Thomasville, N. C.

Reserve—Mrs. Ruth Greeson 1110 E. Main St., Thomasville, N. C.

Asheboro—Mr. C. A. Barrett 745 Frank St., Asheboro, N. C.

Reserve—W. R. Manoss 903 Arnold St., Asheboro, N. C.

St. Paul—Atty. R. C. Erwin 13 E. 3rd St., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Reserve—Mr. A. J. Baker 1321 Thurmond St., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Pen Hook—Miss Lilly Smith Rt. 2, Box 108, Boone Mill, Va.

Reserve—Mr. John Ferguson R.F.D., Wirtz, Va.

Lexington—Mrs. Clara Smitherman 109 Lincoln Ave., Lexington, N. C.

Reserve—Mrs. Helen Capel 201 Smith Ave., Lexington, N. C.

WESTERN DISTRICT

Lincolnton Ct.—Miss Beulah Callwell Route 1, Denver, N. C.

Lowesville Ct.—Mrs. Grace Smith Hawthorne St., Mt. Holly, N. C.

Mt. Holly—Mrs. Meader Ross Cohen Ave., Mt. Holly, N. C.

Stanley and Hunters—Mrs. Beulah Cosner Stanley, N. C.

Newton Ct.—Mrs. P. Pearson Newton, N. C.

Philadelphia and Wilkesboro—Mr. E. C. Lackey Statesville, N. C.

Statesville and Harpers—Mrs. C. W. Bailey Wilkesboro, N. C.

W. Asheville Ct.—Miss Helen Smith 89 Bryant St., Asheville, N. C.

Gastonia and Bessmer—Mrs. Gladys Conner 118 E. Walnut St.

Gastonia, N. C.

Kings Mt.—Miss Mary Roberts P. O. Box, Kings Mountain, N. C.

Hickory—Miss Daisy Johnson

Catawba Ct.—Mrs. Cleo Conner Brookview Apts., Salisbury, N. C.

Marion—Mr. Cecil Swepson Box 26, Marion, N. C.

Asheville—Miss Belle Jones 340 College St., Asheville, N. C.

Philadelphia and Mooresboro—Mrs. F. D. Elmore Lawndale, N. C.

Shelby and Brooks—Mrs. M. L. Gleaves Buffalo St., Shelby, N. C.

Lenior—E. S. Jones

Forest City—Mrs. D. H. Knight



THURSDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 4, 1959

9:00 A.M.

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: Bishop Love, presiding, assisted by the District Superintendents. Message by Bishop Love: John 12:23-27—"The Glory of This Hour." Mission offering: \$136.60.

10:30 A.M.

Roll Call—Ministers and Lay Members.

Assistant Secretaries appointed: John G. Corry, J. W. Ferree.

Assistant Treasurers appointed: Harry Smith, J. W. Jones.

Assistant Stasticians appointed: S. L. Townsend, Glenn Brooks.

Public Relations and Methodist Information—D. S. Harkness, chairman.

Precentor: J. T. Jones.

Organist: J. H. McCallum

MOTION, by R. C. Erwin, "that the printed program be adopted; Motion adopted.

MOTION, by D. S. Harkness, "that following the report of the Committee on Ministerial Training and Qualifications that we begin balloting for delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences. Motion passed.

Conference approved G. E. Hogue to be fraternal delegate to the North Carolina Conference, Southeastern Jurisdiction, to convene in Wilmington, N. C. in July.

Marshall McCallum was appointed to represent the conference at the Western North Carolina Conference, to be held in Asheville, in June.

C. M. Winchester was named Director Wills and Education.

The Committee on Courtesy presented the following visitors: Mrs. E. A. Love, Dr. M. L. Harris, President, Philander Smith College, I. G. Simpson, and C. E. Queen, Washington Conference; W. C. Burgan, Asheville, N. C., Kelly Jackson, District Supt., Washington Conference; W. C. Erwin, Retired minister, Washington Conference; C. R. Coleman, A. M. E. Zion Church, Fayetteville; J. W. Curry, Dist. Supt., Florence Dist., South Carolina Conference; L. Scott Allen, Editor, Central Christian Advocate; Mrs. Mozell Dodd, Pilot Mountain, N. C.

Dr. L. S. Allen presented check from the Publishing House in the amount of 1272.85. Motion by C. M. Winchester that the check be accepted. Motion passed.

Announcements

11:15 A.M.

Memorial Service; John G. Corry, presiding. Prayer by A. E. Robinson. Those commemorated were: Rev. R. W. Winchester, Rev. S. B. McBrayer, Rev. B. F. Gleaves, Rev. J. H. Ledwell, Mrs. P. I. Wells, Mrs. R. D. Sharpe. O. M. Graham delivered the message on "God's Honor Roll of Faith."



THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 4, 1959

2:15 P.M.

Devotions: J. H. McCallum, presiding. Prayer by W. A. Stowe.

BUSINESS SESSION: Bishop Love, presiding.

Report by Committee on Ministerial Training and Qualifications given by G. H. Caldwell. Report adopted.

Balloting was begun for election of delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences. General Conference Lay Delegate elected was C. M. Winchester; Jurisdictional Conference Lay Delegate was R. C. Erwin; Reserve Delegate elected was C. A. Barrett.

Ministerial delegate elected to the General Conference was L. A. Brown.

Reports were given by the District Superintendents (see reports). Reports adopted.

Dr. Harrison, former President of High Point College, spoke of his interest in helping a worthy student through seminary training. He spoke highly of Brother W. S. McLeod, and of his leadership in High Point.

MOTION, by C. A. Barrett, that we send messages to all sick members of the conference. Motion passed.

Committee on Nominations brought in report of members comprising the Committee on General Conference Memorials (see committees).

Dr. Dennis Fletcher, Delaware Conference, and Director of Church Extension, Board of Home Missions, spoke on ways in which his Board helps the local church.

Rev. D. L. Ridout was presented, at which time he asked for subscriptions to THE MESSENGER.

Rev. T. Elliott was presented to the conference.

MOTION, by D. E. Moore, that a letter of congratulations be sent to John Morrow, on his appointment as first Ambassador to Guinea.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION, JUNE 4, 1959**7:30 P.M.**

Anniversary of the Board of Education; J. B. Bethea, presiding. Prayer by J. B. Bethea. Greetings were brought by the Conference Board of Education chairman, C. A. Barrett.

Bennett College in Charge: Rev. John L. Bryan, presiding. Several musical selections were rendered by the choir. Rev. Bryan brought greetings on behalf of the college, followed by more selections from the choir. D. E. Moore made a brief report concerning the Wesley Foundations at A. and T. College and North Carolina College. Offering received was \$52.10.

9:00 P.M.

Anniversary of Social and Economic Relations, and Board of Evangelism; J. T. Jones, presiding. An address on Evangelism was given by J. T. Jones.

Benediction

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 5, 1959**9:00 A.M.**

Devotions: C. G. Bynum, presiding. Prayer C. G. Bynum.

BUSINESS SESSION:

Report on the Journal given by O. W. Burwick and found to be in order, Report accepted.

Ennis W. Whaley was transferred from the North Carolina Conference to the Lexington Conference as of June 6, 1959.

MOTION, by C. M. Winchester, that the Conference Board of Lay Activities present their report on Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, instead of on Saturday afternoon as printed in the program. Motion passed.

R. B. McRae was elected as the delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference by a vote of 35. L. M. Mayfield received 19 votes. L. M. Mayfield was elected by unanimous vote as the reserve delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference. W. R. Crawford cast the vote for the conference.

Resolution by R. C. Sharpe (see resolutions) to rescind the vote taken at the conference last year to hold the future sessions of the Annual Conference at Bennett College. Resolution adopted, by a vote of 72 to 34.

The report was given by the Commission on World Service and Finance (see reports). The conference deleted item C of the report, after which the report was adopted.

MOTION, by C. A. Barrett, that Church School Rally Day be held on September 27, 1959. Motion passed.

Bishop Love announced an Executive session with all the ministers to be held Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

A special report was given by D. L. Ridout concerning a group insurance plan for ministers and full time lay employees of the church. A representative from Metropolitan Life Insurance Company presented an explanation of the plan. The group insurance plan was adopted by the conference.

Dr. O. L. Hathaway, fraternal delegate from the North Carolina Conference, Southeastern Jurisdiction, brought greetings on behalf of that conference.

NOON MESSAGE HOUR: J. B. Bethea, presiding. Prayer, W. E. Tyler. Miles Murphy brought the message. He used as a subject: "Life's Supreme Must."

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 5, 1959**2:30 P.M.****BUSINESS SESSION:**

Devotions: J. T. Jones, presiding.

The report of the Executive Secretary was given (see reports), by D. E. Moore.

Comments were given on the Conference Journal by the Secretary, W. R. Crawford. It was pointed out that money for the Journal is somewhat slow. It was decided that we print the same number as in previous years.

R. C. Erwin reminded the Secretary that a bound copy of the Journals be prepared and presented at the Jurisdictional Conference.

John G. Corry gave his report on the Wesley Foundation at A. and T. College. D. E. Moore gave his concerning North Carolina College. (See reports).

Invitations for the Annual Conference of 1960 were extended by G. E. Hogue and D. E. Moore. The conference voted to hold the next session of the Annual Conference at Asbury Temple, Durham, North Carolina.

The following visitors were presented: Dr. T. B. Echols, of the Board of Pensions; Warren Jenkins, John W. Heyward, Washington Kerns, B. C. Rouse, Edward Jenkins, all of the South Carolina Conference.

MOTION, by R. C. Erwin, that each district be authorized to hold a district conference at the call of the respective District Superintendents. Motion passed.

MOTION, by R. C. Erwin, that the nomination by the Board of Lay activities of C. M. Winchester as Conference Lay Leader be confirmed. Motion passed.

3:30 P.M.

Board of Lay Activities in charge: C. M. Winchester, presiding.

Report by this board was given by C. M. Winchester (see reports).

C. M. Winchester gave a presentation concerning wills.

Dave Reid was presented as a visitor.

Afternoon session was adjourned.

**FRIDAY EVENING SESSION, JUNE 5, 1959****7:30 P.M.**

Anniversary of the Board of Missions: W. E. Hairston, presiding.

Prayer by J. H. McCallum. Dr. D. R. Fletcher, Board of Home Missions, gave an address concerning church extension. An offering of \$48.49 was received.

Bishop and Mrs. Love related their experiences in Africa, after which film strips on Africa were shown.

Benediction

**SATURDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 6, 1959****9:30 A.M.**

Devotions: A. E. Robinson, presiding. Prayer by E. A. Williams.

BUSINESS SESSION: Bishop Love, presiding.

Report by the Committee on the Journal was given by O. W. Burwick. Report approved.

Report from Committee on General Conference Memorials, given by R. C. Erwin (see reports). Discussion of the Methodist Federation of Social Action (Unofficial) received serious consideration. After due consideration, the Conference voted no-conformity toward a resolution from the New York Conference (see resolutions).

Report of the Treasurer given by J. W. Gwyn. The report was received until it could be audited.

MOTION, by C. M. Winchester that an account be printed in the Journal covering the period from June 9 to September, 1958. Motion passed.

Report was given by the Statistician, J. J. Patterson (see reports). Report was adopted with appreciation to Bro. Patterson for the report.

MOTION, by L. A. Brown, that supply pastors be included in the service records of our Journal. Motion passed.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that the premiums of the group insurance covering the ministers and full time lay employees of the North Carolina Conference be also apportioned and reported at Bennett College Roll Call. Motion passed.

Mrs. W. P. Cole spoke in interest of the National Fellowship of Musicians, pointing out its objectives and urging that each district promote the program.

Ministers' Wives Program: Mrs. S. L. Townsend, presiding.

Mrs. R. W. Winchester presented corsages to the wives of all retired and deceased ministers. Mrs. J. C. Rush was the speaker. Her subject was: "God's Heir is Jesus Christ—Meet Him."

The Financial report by districts is as follows:

Greensboro District	\$1385.00
Laurinburg District	472.00
Western District	1298.00
Winston District	1607.00
Total	<u>\$4762.00</u>

Announcements

Adjournment of morning session.

◆ **SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 6, 1959**

2:30 P.M.

Devotions: J. T. Jones, presiding.

BUSINESS SESSION:

Samuel E. Nesmith was received on trial.

Report of the Board of Missions (see reports). Report was adopted. Dr. T. B. Echols of the General Board of Missions gave an address. A resolutions from the Board of Pensions (see resolutions) was adopted.

MOTION, by R. C. Sharpe, that a period of two months be designated as Reserve Pension cultivation period, during which time intensive effort shall be made to acquaint and stimulate interest in the Reserve Pension Fund. Motion passed.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that the Conference give a Certificate of Merit to every charge or church which raises seventy-five per cent of its total apportionments. Motion passed.

W. J. Cameron was elected as Conference Secretary of Missions.

The Conference voted to request the General Board of Missions to include John Wesley and Galilee Churchs in the General Advance Specials.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that a campaign be put on within the bounds of the Conference for the Cultivation Fund in the fall. Motion passed.

C. M. Winchester named the following persons as District Directors of Wills:

Greensboro	Hugh H. Crawford
Laurinburg	Clarence Francis
Western	Mrs. Jettie Morrison
Winston	R. C. Erwin

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that after the reading of the appointments on Sunday, and after approving the Journal without reading, that the Conference stand adjourned without date. Motion passed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Street were presented as visitors.

The Woman's Society presented an interesting and inspiring service. Announcements.

Adjournment.

SUNDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 7, 1959

10:30 A.M.

LOVE FEAST: Conducted by W. T. Lomax and B. L. Burge.

ORDINATION SERVICE: Conducted by Bishop Love and the District Superintendents.

DEACONS: Samuel NeSmith, Charles Elwood Tyson.

ELDERS: L. Blake Eldridge, Harry Alexander Smith, Theodore Powell, Isaac Cloye Spinks.

WORSHIP SERVICE: R. B. McRae, Presiding.

MUSIC: Combined choirs of John Wesley Methodist Church.

MORNING OFFERING: \$521.61

SERMON: Bishop Love.

SUBJECT: "Watchman How Much Of The Night"

REPORT, COMMITTEE On Resolutions, C. L. Gidney (See Reports)

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES: Nominations; O. W. Burwick, acting chairman; R. C. Erwin, Glenn A. Brooks, W. R. Crawford, John Corry, Mrs. Jettie Morrison, Clarence Winchester, G. H. Caldwell, Sr., and L. A. Brown.

COMMITTEE ON THE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE EMANCIPATION: Clinton C. Armstrong, J. E. Brower, G. H. Caldwell, G. M. Phelps, Chairman; Marshall McCallum, Western District; R. B. McRae, Laurinburg District; L. M. Mayfield, Winston District.

READING OF THE APPOINTMENTS, by Bishop Love.

Benediction

In Memoriam

1959

MINISTERS

R. W. WINCHESTER
S. B. McBRAYER
B. F. GLEAVES
J. H. LEDWELL

MINISTERS' WIVES

MRS. P. I. WELLS
MRS. R. D. SHARPE

A RESOLUTION

Whereas the holding of the Annual Conference in a given place helps the local church or institution in many ways; inspirationally, informationally and materially, and in many instances the fact that the Conference in honoring a local church by accepting its invitation also helps in many cases the pastor and officers to be able to get the much needed repairs and building done for the entertainment of the Conference that would not otherwise be done at that time.

The inspiration that the coming of a Bishop always brings, the coming of General Officers along with the members and friends of the Conference will give the young people and many others of the church and community an opportunity to see the Bishop, representatives of the General Boards, their own pastor and delegates in action, thereby receiving inspiration and information which will help them in building their own characters and in developing their own Christian lives.

The Conference will help a struggling church to lift itself out of the role of a struggler to a self-sustaining church. It also gives many people an opportunity to share in this Christian fellowship who would never get to the college for a Conference.

Therefore, we offer this resolution to rescind the action of the Conference in 1958 making Bennett College the permanent seat of the North Carolina Annual Conference, therefore giving the local churches and Bennett College the opportunity of extending to the Conference an invitation, and the Conference the opportunity of deciding where it can be of the greatest help in building the Kingdom of God, instead of seeking personal comfort.

Mr. Chairman, I move its adoption!

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RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS

Whereas, it has been our privilege and pleasure to have held this, the 101st session of the North Carolina Annual Conference Central Jurisdiction in John Wesley Methodist Church, a most beautiful sanctuary situated in a thriving city—Fayetteville;

Whereas, many persons have cooperated to make our stay here both pleasant and profitable;

Resolved, that we extend to the pastor, the Reverend R. B. McRae, our highest commendations and most sincere thanks for his untiring efforts and eminent success in the entertainment of our conference; his far-sightedness and patience will not soon be forgotten;

We thank, especially our Bishop, Edgar A. Love, for his wonderful leadership and untiring patience in conducting the session with poise and dignity and for the information and inspiration he and his lovely wife, Mrs. Love, have given us;

Resolved, that we thank each organization, officer, member and friend who has rendered service through reports, inspirational addresses and sermons, or for opening their homes for our comfortable entertainment;

Resolved, that we thank the choirs and the soloists for the rendition of such beautiful music;

Resolved, that the entire entertainment has been superb;

Resolved finally, that we pray God's richest blessings upon each person who attended the great conference and aided in making it a grand success.

Respectfully submitted,

The Committee on Resolutions

A RESOLUTION FROM THE BOARD OF PENSIONS JUNE 6, 1959

Bishop Love and members of the North Carolina Conference, your Conference Board of Pensions met and considered the problems of our conference qualifying for participation in the Reserve Pension Plan of the Methodist Church. We, after due consideration, wish to submit the following recommendations for your consideration:

1. That the months be designed as Reserve Pension cultivation period. During this time intensive effort shall be made to acquaint and stimulate interest in the Reserve Pension Plan.

2. That the period for raising the necessary amount to qualify for participation in the Reserve Pension Plan be extended another conference year, and that adequate planning be done to complete this effort during this period. We urge all charges and individuals to bring their over-due assessment up to date. Our goal is to qualify for membership in the Methodist Reserve Pension Plan in 1960 during the present quadrennium.

3. That every charge be urged to pay an amount equaling 15% of the pastor's cash salary in full. And also to pay any back assessment. Your Retired preachers and widows are in desperate need of these funds.



THE METHODIST CHURCH

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the North Carolina (Central Jurisdiction) Annual Conference held in John Wesley Methodist Church, Fayetteville, N. C. from June 4th, 1959, through June 7th, 1959. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Baltimore Area, presiding. Organized February 8th, 1837. 101st Session.

PART I. ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium: Secretary? William R. Crawford, 1701 Shadymount Avenue, Winston-Salem, N. C. Statistician? J. J. Patterson, 755 Washington Street, High Point, N. C. Treasurer? J. W. Gwyn, 1815 E. 4th Street, Winston-Salem, N. C.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? Yes.
3. Bonding and auditing:
 - a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? J. W. Gwyn, Conference Treasurer, \$10,000.00; J. E. Brower, \$1,000.00, Treasurer of Trustees.
 - b) Have the books of said officers been audited? Yes.
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected?
 - a) Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications? Yes.
 - b) Committee on Conference Relations? Yes.
 - c) District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications? Yes.
 - d) Committee of Investigation? Yes.
 - e) District Boards of Church Location and Building? Yes.
 - f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.
 - g) Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.
 - h) Commission on Town and Country Work? Yes.
 - i) Deaconess Board? Yes.
 - j) Board of Missions? Yes.
 - k) Board of Education? Yes.
 - l) Board of Temperance? Yes.
 - m) Board of Lay Activities? Yes.
 - n) Board of Hospitals and Homes? Yes.
 - o) Board of Evangelism? Yes.
 - p) Board of Pensions? Yes.

- q) Commission on Christian Vocations? Yes.
 - r) Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service? Yes.
 - s) Commission on Minimum Salaries? Yes.
 - t) Commission on Promotion and Cultivation? Yes.
 - u) Committee on Reserve Pensions? Yes.
 - v) Quadrennial Committee on Local-Church Goals? Yes.
 - w) Optional commissions and committees? Yes.
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? Yes.
 6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report.)
 7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report.)
 8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See supplementary report.)
 9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? \$1,800.00.
 10. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? \$4,000.00 salary; \$500.00 expense; \$600.00 parsonage.
 11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants?
 12. What are the apportionments to this conference:
 - a) For the World Service Fund? 47.8% or \$14,834
 - b) For the Episcopal Fund? 2% of the pastor's cash salary.
 - c) For the General Administration Fund? \$531 or 1.9%
 - d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund? \$421 or 1.4%
 - e) For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? \$480 or 1.7%
 13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: World service? Conference benevolences?
 14. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the conference agencies:
 - a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved? See report.
 - b) What is the report of the Board of Missions of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? See Report.
 - c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? See report.
 - d) What is the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations? See report.
 - e) What are the other reports? See section for reports.
 15. What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility? Bennett College, Allen High School, Gammon Seminary.
 16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday?
 17. Conference lay leader:
 - a) Clarence M. Winchester, P. O. Box 1621, Greensboro, N. C.
 - b) What is his report? See report section.
 - c) Who are district and associate district lay leaders?
 Greensboro District: J. W. Sapp, District Lay Leader, E. M. Townes, Jr., Harry Dinsett, E. L. Raeford, Arthur Crump, David Morehead.
 Laurinburg District: Bruce Hargroves, District Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders: S. T. Brooks, Edward Henderson, F. W. Douglas;
 Western District: D. E. Fernet, District Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders; C. A. Brown, Ray Cabiness, E. L. Lackey, J. C. Calicut.
 Winston District: Richard C. Erwin, District Lay Leader, Associate Lay Leaders; A. W. Harper, T. A. Brower, L. H. Jones, Coy Payne.

18. What local churches have been:
 - a) Organized None
 - b) Merged? None
 - c) Discontinued? None
 - d) Relocated, and to what address? None
 - e) Transferred into this conference from the Central Jurisdiction, and with what membership:
 - 1) This year? None.
 - 2) Previously? None.

PART II. PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

19. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? They are.
 20. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? N. C. Conference Journal 1958, Page 6.
 21. Who are the approved supply pastors:

Greensboro District: L. W. Coletrain, W. N. Johnson, R. M. Martin, F. D. Morehead, J. H. Monor, W. L. Napper, R. Edward Sharpe, I. C. Spinks, G. L. Warren, W. T. Wright.

Laurinburg District: E. C. Campbell, W. L. Davis, A. H. Douglas, Fred Benton, John McErchan, Leroy Worth.

Western District: Bert J. Dula, Oscar Davenport, John Bowman, C. O. Hill, John F. Hill, Willie V. Leasure, T. D. McCorkle, (retired), R. H. McDowell, James M. McLean, Charles Tyson, T. A. Adams.

Winston District: P. C. Carter, L. R. Eldridge, L. H. Jones, Mrs. Sophia East, Buford Miller, Clifton Scott, Sr., David W. Reynolds, Robert J. Toney, Otto Withers.
 22. What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year?
 23. What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized:
 - a) As local deacons? None
 - b) As local elders? J. H. Shiver
 24. Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers:
 - a) As members on trial: Deacons? None
Elders? None
 - b) As members in full connection: Deacons? None
Elders? J. H. Shiver
 25. Who are admitted on trial:
 - a) With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology? Samuel NeSmith, Clafin College
 - b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from approved schools of theology? None
 - c) With degrees from approved colleges and completion of the introductory studies for the ministry? None
 - d) With partial college credit, completion of the four-year course of study, and six years' service as approved supply pastors? None
 26. Who are continued on trial; and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies:
 - a) In approved schools of theology? None
 - b) In the four-year course of study? Esau Alford Williams
 - c) In the two years of special study? None
 27. Who on trial are discontinued? None
 28. Who are admitted into full connection? *Elwood J. Jones, Liston Sellers, Theodore Allen Powell, Harry Alexander Smith.
- *Elected but not present at the Conference to answer the questions for Reception.

29. Who have been elected deacons:
 - a) Theological students? Samuel NeSmith
 - b) Members on trial in the course of study? None
 - c) Approved supply pastors? Charles Edwood Tyson, David Thomas Wright
 - d) Other local preachers?
 - e) Missionaries?
 - f) Chaplains?
30. Who have been ordained deacons? Samuel NeSmith, Charles Edwood Tyson
31. Who have been elected elders:
 - a) Theological graduates? Theodore Allen Powell, William Eric Tyler
 - b) Course of study graduates? Harry Alexander Smith
 - c) Approved supply pastors? Leonard Blake Eldridge, Isaac Cloye Spinks
 - d) Other local preachers?
 - e) Missionaries?
 - f) Chaplains?
32. Who have been ordained elders? L. Blake Eldridge, Harry Alexander Smith, Theodore Allen Powell, Isaac Cloye Spinks
33. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences:
 - a) Admitted: On trial? None
Into full connection? None
 - b) Ordained after election by this conference: Deacons? None
Elders? None
 - c) Ordained after election by other conferences: Deacons? None
Elders?
34. Who are readmitted:
 - a) As deacons?
 - b) As elders? Ennis W. Whaley
35. What retired members have been made effective? None
36. Who have been received by transfer? None
37. Who have been transferred out? None
38. Who have had their conference membership terminated:
 - a) By voluntary location? None
 - b) By involuntary location? None
 - c) By withdrawal? None
 - d) By judicial procedure (expelled)? None
39. Deceased:
 - a) What ministerial members have died during the year?
Retired: Benjamine F. Gleaves, died 1958, received into full connection in a conference in 1924; J. H. Ledwell, died 1958, received into full connection in a conference in 1932; Robert W. Winchester, died 1959, received into full connection in a conference in 1901.
Effective: Sammy B. McBrayer, died 1959, received into full connection in a conference in 1936
On trial: None
 - b) What approved supply pastors have died during the year? None
 - c) What deaconesses have died during the year? None
40. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? None
41. Who are granted sabbatical leave? None
42. What ministerial members have been retired:
 - a) This year? None
 - b) Previously? B. Latta Burge, H. H. Davis, W. T. Lomax, D. C. Skeen, J. W. Shufford, E. Frost

43. What approved supply pastors have been retired:
a) This year? None
b) Previously? T. D. McCorkle
44. Who are appointed to attend school? James F. Campbell
45. What is the number of:
a) General Information:
Pastoral charges? 86
Approved supply pastors? 36
Received on trial? 0
Received into full connection? 4
Transferred in? 0
Total value?
Transferred out? 0
Received from other evangelical churches? 1
Readmitted? 1
Discontinued? 0
Withdrawn? 0
Expelled? 0
Indebtedness?
Located?
Deceased?
Local preachers?
Women under appointment?
Retired made effective?
Retired serving as supply pastors? 2
District parsonages? 0
b) Ministerial members:
(1) On trial:
(a) As pastors? 0
(b) Under special appointment? 0
(c) Appointed to attend school? 1
Total on trial? 1
(2) In full connection:
(a) Effective:
(i) As pastors and district superintendents? 61
(ii) Under special appointment? 3
(iii) Appointed to attend school? 1
(iv) On sabbatical leave? 0
Total effective? 61
(b) Retired? 7
(c) Supernumerary? 0
Total ministerial members: (Add total on trial, effective, retired,
and supernumerary.) 68
46. What other personal notation should be made? Not any

PART III. CONCLUDING BUSINESS

47. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year?
(See supplementary report.)
48. Where shall the next conference session be held? Asbury Temple
Methodist Church, Durham, N. C.
49. Is there any other business? None
50. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual
Conference Session? Not any
51. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (See list of
appointments.)

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

(Central Jurisdiction, The Methodist Church)

Parentheses denote supply Pastor; *denotes change

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

W. T. Brown, Superintendent

Basses Chapel and Raleigh Cross Roads	W. E. Tyler*
Brown Summit	(Willis N. Napper)
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley
Cox Chapel and Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum
Durham	D. E. Moore
Empire Circuit	(F. D. Moorehead)
Greensboro: Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong
Mt. Tabor	R. F. McCallum*
St. Matthews	J. E. Brower
South	Eugene Black*
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps
Warren Street and Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell
Kernersville	E. J. Jones*
Laughlin Memorial and Ramseur	L. J. Sellers
Leaksville	J. G. Corry
Mt. Zion and Zion Hill	(J. H. Minor)
Chapel Hill	F. F. McCallum*
Newport News	(Robert E. Sharpe)
Oxford	(L. W. Coltrane)
Raleigh	O. W. Burwick
Randleman	(I. C. Spinks)
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell
St. James and Summerfield	(W. N. Johnson)
Saint Peters	(R. M. Martin)
Wesley Chapel	Wm. E. Hairston

SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS

Missionary Secretary	C. C. Armstrong
Secretary of Evangelism	O. W. Burwick
Secretary of Temperance	L. J. Sellers
Director of Stewardship	V. J. Caveness
Director of World Peace	J. G. Corry

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

R. B. Sharpe, Superintendent

Bolton and St. Peter	(Walter Davis)
Charlotte: Simpson Memorial	C. E. Strickland
Fairmont	(John Monroe)
Fayetteville: John Wesley	R. B. McRae
Goldsboro	(Harlon London)
Hamlet: St. Peter	Daniel McLean
Hickory and Bend and St. Mark	(D. R. McGirt)
Hoffman and Millers	John McEachen
Johns Station and Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue
Laurinburg Ct.	(Leroy Worth)*
Lumberton	J. W. Ferree
Maxton	O. M. Graham
Mt. Zion and Philadelphia	E. A. Williams
Pembroke and New Zion	(E. C. Campbell)
Red Springs	Miles Murphy, Jr.*

Rowland	J. F. Sawyer
Sanford Ct.	(A. H. Douglas)
Wilmington	J. H. Shiver

SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS

Missionary Secretary ..	C. E. Strickland
Secretary of Evangelism	J. W. Ferree
Secretary of Temperance	J. F. Sawyer
Director of Stewardship	S. T. Brooks
Director of World Peace	O. M. Graham

WESTERN DISTRICT

H. W. Phillips, Supt.

Asheville	Marshall McCallum
Boone and Beaver Creek	(O. S. Davenport)
Catawba Circuit	(Theodore Powell)*
Forest City and Union Mill	C. L. Gidney
Gastonia and Bessemer City	J. T. Jones
Hickory	R. D. Sharpe
Kings Mountain	(R. H. McDowell)*
Lenoir	S. L. Townsend
Lincolnton Circuit	(C. O. Hill)
Lowesville Circuit	M. S. Laughlin
Marion	D. S. Harkness
Mooresville Circuit	J. Q. Dula
Mt. Holly and Hunters Chapel	(B. L. Burge)
Newton and Granite Falls	A. W. Stowe
Old Fort	(J. L. Bowman)
Philadelphia and Brooks	J. W. Patterson*
Shelby and Grace Mission	A. E. Robinson
Stanley and St. Paul	(B. J. Dula)
Statesville and Harpers	C. W. Bailey
West Asheville—Franklin	Willie V. Leazer
Wilkesboro and Stoney Point	(Charles Tyson)
Mooresboro	T. D. McCorkle*

SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS

Missionary Secretary	J. T. Jones
Secretary of Evangelism	A. W. Stowe
Secretary of Temperance	S. L. Townsend
Director of Stewardship	J. Jolly
Director of World Peace	D. S. Harkness

WINSTON DISTRICT

L. A. Brown, Superintendent

Advance	I. A. Friend*
Asheboro	J. W. Jones
Elkin, Jonesville	J. B. Bethea
High Point: Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod
St. Mark	J. J. Patterson
Lexington	G. A. Brooks
	(Asst.—L. H. Jones)
Madison	H. A. Smith
Mount Airy	(L. B. Eldridge)
Oak Grove	(Otto Withers)
Penhook	(B. C. Miller)
Pilot Mountain	(P. G. Carter)
Thomasville	J. D. Ashford

St. Johns	W. J. Cameron
Trinity	W. P. Cole
Winston-Salem: Mt. Pleasant	Wm. R. Crawford
	(David Reynolds—Supply)
St. Andrews	J. W. Gwyn
and	
Walnut Cove	J. W. Gwyn
Saints Home	W. R. Royster*
St. Paul	L. M. Mayfield
Mitchell	(W. T. Lomax)
Glenola and Liberty Grove	To Be Supplied

SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS

Missionary Secretary	R. F. McCallum
Secretary of Evangelism	J. W. Jones
Secretary of Temperance	J. J. Patterson
Director of Stewardship	Charles Tyson
Director of World Peace	Wm. R. Crawford

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Conference Executive Secretary	Douglas E. Moore
Chaplain, United States Army	P. W. Jenkins
	John H. Mills
Professor, Wiley College	J. E. McCallum
Allen High School	Winifred M. Wrisley, Deaconess
Director, Wesley Foundation, A. & T. College	John G. Corry
Director, Wesley Foundation, N. C. College, Durham	Douglas E. Moore
Weft without appointment to attend school	James F. Campbell

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Conference Director of Stewardship	Marshall McCallum
Conference Missionary Secretary	W. J. Cameron
Conference Secretary of Evangelism	R. F. McCallum
Conference Secretary of Temperance	W. S. McLeod
Conference Director of Wills	C. W. Winchester



REPORT OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Members and Friends of the North Carolina Conference,
Greetings!

It gives me a deep sense of pleasure to present my second report as District Superintendent of the Greensboro District.

Last year, I had the great privilege of presenting my first report at the One Hundredth Session of our Conference. This year, I have the great privilege of presenting my second report at the beginning of the second century of our work. Let us move into this second century with the confidence that "the Everlasting God, the Lord" will be with us.

I thank Almighty God for giving me protection, strength, and guidance during the year.

Bishop Love, I thank you for the great leadership that you are giving our Conference. This Conference has made great progress under your leadership.

Again, I thank my fellow District Superintendents for their advice and cooperation.

Then, again, I wish to thank the Ministers and Laymen of the District for their wonderful support.

Let us now consider the District Activities during the year.

EVANGELISM

This year the Bishops of our Jurisdiction sponsored an Evangelistic Crusade. In order to prepare the District for this Crusade, a District Mass Meeting on Evangelism was held at St. Paul Methodist Church in Reidsville, North Carolina, on January 31, 1959. Under the leadership of the District Superintendent and the Reverend O. W. Burwick, District Secretary of Evangelism, the District Committee on Evangelism planned the Mass Meeting. At this meeting the District Superintendent gave an interpretation of the Bishops' Evangelistic Crusade, the Rev. O. W. Burwick led in a discussion of the chart, **They Went Forth Two By Two**, and the Rev. W. R. Royster and the Rev. John G. Corry preached great sermons on "Evangelism and the Holy Spirit."

There were about one hundred persons in attendance at the meeting.

The following were the results of the Crusade on the District:

Number of prospects at beginning of Crusade	220
Number of teams visiting	54
Number of visits made	256
Number of persons contacted	324
Number received on profession of faith	46
Number received by transfer	14
Number received from other denominations	17
Number restored to roll	42

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Last fall the Board of Education of the Western North Carolina Conference of the South Eastern Jurisdiction and the churches of Greater Greensboro of that Conference sponsored a Greater Greensboro Leadership School. All the churches in the Greater Greensboro area of our District were invited to participate in this school. The following charges of the District sent representatives to the school: St. Matthews, Union Memorial, South Greensboro, Raleigh Cross Roads and Basses Chapel, and St. James and Summerfield. The School was held at West Market Street Methodist Church in Greensboro.

On May 16 of this year, a District Youth Rally was held at New Goshen Methodist Church on the South Greensboro Charge. A course for Older Youth, "Looking Toward Marriage," was taught by Mrs. Bettye J. Taylor, Counselor for the Randolph County Sub-district Youth Group. Another course for Intermediates, "Christian Fellowship," was taught by Miss Fannie McCallum, Counselor for the Greensboro Area Sub-district Youth Group. A discussion, "How Can Youth Witness for Christ," was led by Miss Lorretta Free, District Director of Youth Work, and the Rev. John G. Corry, Pastor of the Leaksville Charge. The closing message was delivered by the Rev. Douglas E. Moore, Conference Executive Secretary.

The Rev. John G. Corry and the Rev. Douglas E. Moore are doing excellent jobs as Directors of the Wesley Foundations at A. and T. College and North Carolina College, respectively.

The Greensboro District did a great job in raising more than its 27% share of the \$10,000 for Bennett College.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Our District Conference was held at Collins Grove Methodist Church on April 25 of this year. The following District Staff Workers gave excellent reports: Mr. J. W. Sapp, District Lay Leader; Dr. C. C. Armstrong, District Missionary Secretary; Mrs. Verdie M. Allen, representing Mrs. Dorothy P. Jones, President of the Woman's Society of Christian Service;

the Rev. Liston Sellers, District Secretary of Temperance; Miss Lorretta Free, District Director of Youth Work; Mrs. Bettye J. Taylor, District Director of Adult Work; and the Rev. John G. Corry, District Director of World Peace.

The Rev. J. E. Brower delivered an inspirational message, and a musical program was presented by Bennett College.

MINISTERS LOST BY DEATH THIS YEAR

Our Heavenly Father has seen fit to take from us this year the Rev. R. W. Winchester and the Rev. J. H. Ledwell. They have finished their work in the Church Militant and have gone to join the Church Triumphant.

SUMMARY OF WORK ON THE CHARGES

Raleigh Cross Road and Basses Chapel: Eugene Black, Pastor. This charge has had another fine year under the leadership of Brother Black.

Brown Summit: W. L. Napper, Pastor. Brother Napper has just completed his first year as pastor of this charge. He has done a good job. The Garrett's Grove Church has been covered, painted on the inside, and the yard has been landscaped. The Jackson Church has raised \$1,100.00 on a fund to build a new church.

Durham: D. E. Moore, Pastor. Durham is still moving forward under the excellent leadership of Brother Moore. Some of the finest leaders to be found anywhere are now on the Official Board of this charge. Another large housing project is now being completed near the church. The North Carolina Conference now has a wonderful opportunity in Durham.

Collins Grove: T. C. Tarpley, Pastor. Brother Tarpley and the members of this charge have done good work this year. The landscaping of the grounds of this beautiful church has been completed.

Empire Circuit: F. D. Morehead, Pastor. This charge has great possibilities. Plans are being made to make the needed improvements.

Browning Chapel: C. C. Armstrong, Pastor. The charge is still moving forward under the leadership of Dr. Clinton C. Armstrong. Bishop Edgar A. Love will dedicate the church this summer.

Mt. Tabor: J. W. Shuford, Pastor. Brother Shuford has been ill much of this year. However, under his guidance and with the fine cooperation of the laymen, a great job has been done this year. All financial obligations have been met in full. Brother Shuford has asked to be left without appointment this year. May we pray God's richest blessings upon him and Mrs. Shuford.

St. Matthews: J. E. Brower, Pastor. This charge has done good work this year. They are looking forward to building a new church. They have, therefore, decided to raise \$10,000 per year until they have raised enough to begin building.

South Greensboro: W. R. Royster, Pastor. Brother Royster has given excellent leadership to this charge this year. The sum of \$3,882.00 has been spent for building and improvement at the New Goshen Church.

Union Memorial: G. M. Phelps, Pastor. Union Memorial has had another great year under the leadership of its efficient pastor, the Reverend G. M. Phelps. This is now one of the leading appointments in the Conference.

Warren Street and Mt. Carmel: F. D. Caldwell, Pastor. Brother Caldwell and his people have done good work this year. This is one of the strong charges on the District.

Kernersville: W. T. Lomax, Pastor. After serving the North Carolina Conference for 56 years, Brother Lomax is still on the job.

Reidsville: G. H. Caldwell, Pastor. Needed improvements have been made on the church. Under the circumstances, Brother Caldwell has done well.

Leaksville: John G. Corry, Pastor. This charge is still making great strides under the excellent leadership of its young pastor. This year Brother Corry was offered a \$5,000.00 position as one of the editors of Church School Literature on the General Board of Education of the Methodist Church. But because of his love for the Pastoral Ministry, he turned down this offer. Leaksville is now a Station Charge. Plans are being made for a new church building. The sum of \$800.00 has been raised this year on the building fund.

Mt. Zion and Zion Hill: J. H. Minor, Pastor. Mt. Zion is now building a new church.

Newport News and Pleasant Ridge: E. A. Williams, Pastor. This charge has done fair work this year.

Oxford Circuit: L. W. Coltrane, Pastor. Brother Coltrane is doing a good job in paying off the debt at Oxford. On the whole, this charge has had a good year.

Raleigh: O. W. Burwick, Pastor. Brother Burwick has made history in Raleigh this year. He has done a great job. Among the improvements this year was the installing of a gas central heating system in the parsonage.

Randleman: I. C. Spinks, Pastor. The debt on this church has been paid and the pastor and members are now ready for the burning of the mortgage and dedication service.

St. James and Summerfield: W. N. Johnson, Pastor. This charge is still moving forward under the leadership of Brother Johnson.

Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill: W. E. Hairston, Pastor. The North Carolina Conference will forever be in debt to Brother Hairston for the beautiful modern brick church which he has built at Wesley Chapel. A beautiful landscaping job has also recently been done there.

Cox Chapel and Shady Grove: C. G. Bynum, Pastor. This charge is still struggling. As I said in my report last year, the two churches would do better if they became one congregation.

Laughlin Memorial and Ramseur: Liston Sellers, Pastor. This charge is still making great progress under the dynamic leadership of its young pastor. This is especially true of Laughlin Memorial.

St. Peter: R. M. Martin, Pastor. This charge is still moving forward under the fine leadership of Brother Martin.

CONCLUDING WORD

May I close with the words of that great Methodist Layman, Attorney Robert G. Mayfield, General Secretary of the Board of Lay Activities of the Methodist Church. Writing in the May, 1959 issue of *The Methodist Layman*, Mr. Mayfield says, I quote, "Methodism stands today at a very important fork in the road of her history. We have rationalized our failures which have prevented the Church from accomplishing her mission. We have been unconscious of the real feebleness that marks the Church today. Although there has been an increase in attendance and other apparent evidence of a renewed interest in religion, nevertheless, in many of our local churches the great majority of our members know the anointing of the Holy Spirit as a theological abstraction rather than as a personal experience.

"We have had a tendency to fall into the fallacy of thinking that the greatest need of the Church today is a bigger and better program. In truth, and in fact, the Church desperately needs more people who are dedicated and surrendered to Christ and which the Holy Spirit can use as channels for His power.

"The Disciples were trained and instructed for their mission in the world. Christ would not let them go into the world until they had tarried in Jerusalem and were endued with power from on high—until they were empowered for service. Wesley E. Stanley Jones, and others had this experience and it changed them from men of weakness to men of power for God.

"The Church must put a major emphasis in the direction of calling her people to a new experience in Christ—an anointing of the Holy Spirit."

Respectfully submitted,
William T. Brown

WINSTON DISTRICT

Bishop Love, fellow-ministers, Laymen and, visiting friends of the North Carolina Annual Conference:

I am deeply grateful to almighty God for guidance and strength which have been ours this year. After listening to three other reports of this nature, I regard the privilege of making this my second report as district superintendent of the Winston District as imposing upon me two obligations: First, that of being brief, second, that of trying to decide, and bring to your attention at this time only the high lights of what I consider a very rewarding year. Forbearing of the first obligation I shall be without excuse, but the second involves such difficulties that I must ask your kind forbearance if I fall short.

The work of the district from the early weeks of the conference year to the closing days has been as satisfactory as one could hope for. Following the tradition of the district, immediately following our Annual conference the session of our District Youth Institute was held with results that will continue to be felt in our local charges. We are deeply grateful for, and high in our praise of, the educational staff of our district for the interest they are expressing in our youth. Reverend Gwyn and his good people were host to the institute and made it most pleasant for all.

The special District Evangelistic project perhaps highlights the spiritual efforts and concerns. We firmly believe that the world's need is the redemptive power of Christ for people in all walks of life. To this end the Winston District joined hands with the Western District in a special two-weeks evangelistic program known as the Bishops' Crusade. Among the happy results we note that it gave the Commissions a sense of their obligations and opportunities to serve. It was a thrilling and inspiring experience. The results were encouraging. The reports of the ministers will show a substantial increase in membership as a result of the crusade.

With a continued strong acceptance of the doctrine that the spirit in which one labors and gives is of the primary essence, I have striven more diligently this year than ever to inspire ministers and laymen to share with me this conviction and to translate it into a living reality. The unity and spirit which I have been able to observe in my official visits to the churches indicate that great progress is being made in this area in the majority of our churches.

Time will not permit me to speak of individual accomplishments of the ministers. It suffices to say that every minister has played his part well under the varying circumstances. The ministers have led their congregations to accept the program of the conference and of the great church of which we are a part in a way that is commendable.

The physical plants of most of the churches on the district are in good condition. Some have been rebuilt recently, while others have had expensive repairs and remodeling. We have had two new church edifices completed this year. At Mid-way, under the leadership of the Reverend G. A. Brooks, stands one of the most beautiful new churches in our entire conference. It is spacious and well equipped to meet the needs of the growing community in which it is located. It is truly a "thing of beauty," and may it be "a joy forever." Brother Brooks not only led his people in making possible the construction of the church but helped with his own hands with the masonry work.

At Walkertown, under the leadership of the Reverend L. B. Eldridge an almost miracle has been wrought. With about seven members a beautiful cement block church has been built. The opening services will be held June 21st. Both ministers and laymen have made great sacrifices for these achievements.

Many of our charges are without parsonages and many that have parsonages need to rebuild. I regret that I cannot report a favorable situation in this area. Much remains to be done. The only bright spot in this area is that there is a growing awareness of the need in the field.

One of the sad notes that we must recognize in this report is that one of our ardernt workers, in the person of the Reverend W. S. McLeod was stricken with a heart ailment in March and forced to give up his work temporarily. I am happy to report that he is recovering nicely. Due to his interest and enthusiasm, it was thought by his family and friends that he would not remain relaxed enough to be allowed to attend this session of the Annual Conference. We were very fortunate in having Dr. Harrison of the Western North Carolina Conference, friend of Brooks Memorial and of the Reverend McLeod, to offer his services. He has done a good job and we are much indebted to him.

No report of the activities of the church can ever be complete without recognition of Laymen, the Woman's Society of Christian Service, and the Ministers' Wives. Their untiring loyalty and devotion in the area of stewardship are very pronounced in the district benevolence report. Considerable gains have been made in benevolence giving in most of our churches.

Respectfully submitted,

L. A. Brown, District Superintendent
Winston District

REPORT OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT

Bishop Love, fellow ministers, lay members of the annual conference and friends, I feel a deep sense of humility as I make this my second report to the annual conference. Being motivated by the spirit of God and encouraged by our beloved Bishop, I feel that the program of the Western District is progressing.

Before going further into my report, I should like to thank the loyal ministers of the Western District for all of their unselfish efforts toward making the program of the Methodist Church meaningful.

This year the Western District has suffered the loss of two of its members, the Rev. S. B. McBrayer, pastor of the Philadelphia and the Mooresboro Churches. He was a rugged soldier of the cross and fought for the cause of kingdom building until the last minute. His fortitude and determination were most encouraging to all of us. Our other loss was Sister R. D. Sharpe. Everyone who knew her will confess that there has never been a more faithful Christian. She worked almost to the last minute in her home, church of which she was actively engaged in youth work, and her community. Mere words give way under the strain of trying to express the loss of such a personality. I do not like to personate or single out any member of my district; but, I must say that Rev. R. D. Sharpe, having had sickness in his home most of the year and having been in the hospital himself for several days, comes to the conference with the longest financial report of the district.

EVANGELISM

We feel that we have done an unusual job this year in the field of evangelism. We have tried to gear the total program of the church to meet the spiritual needs of our members.

During the period of the Bishop's Crusade, each individual church worked according to the plan given to us by the General Board of Evangelism as directed by the Bishops of the Central Jurisdiction. After the crusade was over, we felt that we took a forward step in planning and carrying out a preaching mission involving the Winston District and the Western District. During the preaching mission, the ministers of the Winston District ascended the pulpits of the Western District and preached as they had never preached before.

The next week the ministers of the Western District came to the Winston District and preached. The District Superintendent of both districts preached also. This was not a financial effort for the ministers of both districts gave their time without charge. We feel that this was a forward step in unifying our efforts toward a salvation of the members of our districts.

Because of these two efforts on our districts this year, the Bishop's Crusade and the Preaching Mission, many professions were made and many of our members were reclaimed.

There is also an annual period of evangelism during the summer when many of our members of the Western District move to the camp ground for a week of fellowship and spiritual uplift.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We have a most encouraging program of Christian Education on the Western District. There are certified directors in every phase of religious education. These directors give their time freely and the expense of travel is paid for through a district cultivation fund.

Early in this conference year a leadership training school was held at McQueen Chapel in Conover. We had an enrollment of over eighty persons. The second and third quarters of this year were set aside for sub-district meetings at which time each director held classes in all phases of educational work.

We also held a meeting at Epworth Church in Gastonia of which J. T. Jones is pastor. At this meeting we organized the Methodist Youth Fellowship beyond the local church.

We are looking forward to making better progress in the year ahead of us. We have held eight district group meetings during the year with much success.

OUR DISTRICT CONFERENCE

On April 11 we held a one-day district conference at Philadelphia Methodist Church, Lawndale, North Carolina. The pastor of the church had passed a week before; but the faithful members of this church gave us the best entertainment I have seen anywhere. The attendance and participation at this conference were very good. There were over one hundred members of the district present. The reports from each department of the church showed outstanding progress.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service gave a pre-conference program the Friday night before the Saturday of the conference. The W.S.C.S. has made real progress in each phase of its work under the leadership of Mrs. Margaret London. The financial report at the District Conference was over \$3,000.

RESERVE PENSION FUND

The reserve pension fund on the Western District is still lagging. A few of the churches have paid in full, but the most of them have a lack of interest. And sadly to say, much of this lack of interest is being caused by the ministers' lack of interest. We are hoping at this conference that there will come some sort of injection that will raise the pension fund from the dead.

BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENTS

Several churches are planning to build. There have been some minor improvements to churches throughout the district. The major project on the district at this time is the building of the new pastorage at Asheville. It is being built at a cost of \$19,000.

FINANCIAL STATUS

With one or two exceptions the ministers of the Western District have received their full salaries for the year. Our total report this year, as you will see from the treasurer's report, exceeds that of last year's over \$4,000. However, there is still tremendous room for improvement. We are looking forward as we go into a new year of bringing the district closer to its financial goal.

Our Lay Program of the Western District is not of reporting quality. This is one phase of our work that we are going to place special emphasis during the ensuing year.

STEWARDSHIP AND TEMPERANCE

We had during this year a district-wide meeting at Brooks Chapel Church. This meeting was a joint meeting on temperance and stewardship. The temperance program was under the direction of the leader of temperance, S. L. Townsend, pastor of our church in Lenoir. We feel that much good was done toward promoting the temperance program. The program on stewardship was under the direction of J. Jolly. Brother Jolly is very interested in this phase of the church's program.

A great interest was shown by all who attended. Our last group meeting was a check-up meeting held at Scott's Chapel Methodist Church in Statesville. There was almost one-hundred per cent attendance. The financial reports were made out for the year. The ministers made out their reports and sent them in. The last part of the meeting was a planning program for the ensuing year. The meeting closed at a restaurant downtown where a delicious luncheon was served.

In conclusion I wish to again thank each minister and layman for his support during the year. Each of us is returning with the thought of the poet in our minds when he said,

"We are not here to play, to dream, to drift,
We have hard work to do and loads to lift
Shun not the struggle, 'tis God's gift."
"Be Strong"

Humbly submitted,
H. W. Phillips
District Superintendent
for the Western District

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LAURINBURG DISTRICT, 1958-1959

Bishop Love, Honored Guest, Fellow Ministers and friends of the North Carolina Conference. Greetings!

The passing of another year privileges me to submit another report for the Laurinburg District.

There has been a reasonable amount of progress made in most of the charges for which we are grateful to our Heavenly Father for His help and guidance.

To expedite time, as we started a day late, I shall be as brief as seems reasonable with this report and point out a few of the most important phases of our work.

The Commissions of Education along with the pastors have done a good job in planning and teaching the program of the Methodist Church this year.

MEMBERSHIP AND EVANGELISM

Bolton and St. Peter—Walter Davis, pastor, accessions 3.
 Charlotte—C. E. Strickland, pastor, accessions
 Fayetteville—R. B. McRae, Pastor Accessions 36 adults, 19 children,
 total 55. Fairmont—John Monroe, pastor accessions
 Goldsboro—Harlon London, pastor accessions
 Hamlet—D. H. McLean, Pastor, accessions 22.
 Hickory Bend and St. Mark—D. R. McGirt, pastor 3 accessions
 Hoffman and Millers—John McEchain, Pastor 7 accessions
 John's and Piney Grove—J. H. McCallum, pastor 18 accessions, Bap-
 tised 10 children and 6 youths.
 Laurinburg—G. E. Hogue, pastor 38 accessions
 Laurinburg St.—Miles Murphy, Jr., pastor accessions
 Lumberton and B. Spot—J. W. Ferree, pastor 28 accessions.
 Maxton—O. M. Graham, pastor accessions
 Mt. Zion and Philadelphia—I. A. Friend, pastor accessions
 Pembroke and New Zion—E. C. Campbell, pastor 42 accessions
 Red Springs—F. F. McCallum, pastor accessions
 Rowland and Salem—J. F. Sawyer, pastor accessions.
 Sanford Ct.—A. H. Douglas, pastor 52 accessions
 Wilmington—J. H. Shiver, pastor, accessions
 A total accessions 269 given to date.

It is our greatest hope that these New Disciples are being thoroughly trained in Methodism and Christian stewardship.

The Psalmist said of old, "Except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain."

Bishop Love and Friends I do not believe you would forgive me if I attempted to close this report without holding up before this conference the possibility of any Church group, led by the Holy Spirit to build a House to Glory of God and the benefit of His people.

Galilee in Laurinburg was condemned and as a result the congregation was shifted from place to place for Divine Worship services.

Even though the membership split, Reverend Hogue, pastor, was able to lead his flock into the purchasing of 2½ acres of land on which to build a new Church. In spite of all this they have one of the most beautiful and useful churches in the conference. It is a modern miracle. Brother Hogue and his folk are to be commended.

John Wesley—The magnificent Edifice in which we are holding the one hundred, one session of this great Religious influence of our State speaks for herself and shows the great work done here by Brother McRae and his loyal people. They have wrought nobly. So, John Wesley is a standing symbol of good leadership, faith, hard work, patience and love for the Kingdom of God. To Brother McRae and his loyal followers we offer our sincere gratitude.

Philadelphia, at Rockingham is in the process of building one of the finest rural Churches in the Conference, we shall be worshiping in this church within 60 to 90 days. Rev. J. A. Friend and his good people are doing good work.

Abraham Lincoln told about a log that was too big to haul, too wet to burn and too knotty to split—so he just plowed around it. Bishop Love, we found the same situation when we came to the District. Instead of going around the big problems of needing New Churches we just decided to do something about it. Therefore, four New Churches have been built and one relocated. There are four more that will be reported in the process of building in next year's report God being our helper.

We do need an injection in the arm for stimulation toward our claims. Maybe, Bishop Love, you can give us the stimulation that will inspire us to move up in our rightful position with our claims.

Matthew tells that two young men, fishermen were mending their nets one day in the boat with their father when a new teacher passed by and called them. "And they immediately left the ship and their father and followed Him."

Centuries later another young man saw slaves being sold in New Orleans, La. and resolved that if he ever got a chance to fight slavery, he would hit it and hit it hard. In the light of history and legend these decisions seem simple and clear. We see the results and know the choices were wise. James and John were two of the disciples closest to Jesus. Abraham Lincoln freed the slaves. In his case we have learned details of his life, the changes in strengthening of his resolve. In the case of James and John we are told nothing of the fears and misgivings they may have had, the taunts and jeers from friends and neighbors and relatives. But in all three instances they kept to the road they had marked for themselves in simple Faith, with single mined integrity, knowing that the thing they had seen was true and right.

In simple trust like theirs who heard, "Beside the Syrian sea, The Glorious calling of the Lord, Let us, like them, without a word, Rise up and follow Thee."

Respectfully submitted

R. C. Sharpe
Superintendent of the
Laurinburg District
523 Albany Street
Fayetteville, N. C.

THE REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Beginning June 8, 1959 and Ending near May 15, 1960

Bishop Love, your Commission on World Service and Finance of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church wishes to present its report for the coming Conference Year. The Commission has considered sincerely and prayerfully, all requests, particularly where there has been request of increased budgets. We feel that it is in the interest of the Conference that items in our budget, where possible, without hindrance to work, remain the same.

- I. The Commission recommends for your action and determination here and now, the following budgets for the Conference year beginning June 8, 1959 and ending near May 15, 1960—\$31,161.00.
 - A. In addition to the \$31,161.00, the Commission also recommends the amount of \$1.30 (one dollar and thirty cents) per church member for Higher Education and the Wesley Foundation.
 - B. That a Reserve Fund be established by setting aside 5% of all gross income of the conference. In addition to the 5% of all gross income of the Conference, the Commission also recommends that \$1,000 be apportioned to the several charges of the Conference annually, for this fund, until a total amount of \$5,000 has been established.
 - C. For World Service General Administration and Annual Conference Benevolence \$31,161.00

1. To be administered in the following apportionments:

(a) World Service	\$14,834 or 47.8%
(b) General Administration	531 or 1.9%
(c) Jurisdictional Conference Exp.	480 or 1.7%
(d) Area Pastor's School	800 or 2.8%
(e) Interdenominational Co-operation	421 or 1.4%
(f) Area Expense	3,255 or 10.5%
(g) Annual Conference Benevolences	10,200 or 33.9%
2. That the Annual Conference Benevolences be administered as follows:

(a) Home Mission Board (for promotional work and field cultivation within the Conference)	\$ 6,500 or 62%
(b) Board of Education:	
(1) Executive Secretary's Salary	1,500 or 14%
(2) Executive Secretary's Expenses	300 or 2.8%
(3) Board of Education Expenses	200 or 1.9%
(c) Board of Lay Activities	125 or 1.2%
(d) Secretary and Statistician Expenses	200 or 1.9%
(e) Home Mission Board Expenses	175 or 1.7%
(f) Commission on Town and Country Work	175 or 1.7%
(g) Board of Evangelism	125 or 1.2%
(h) Com. on World Service and Finance	100 or .9%
(i) Commission on Peace	100 or .9%
(j) Home Life Commission	40 or .3%
(k) Board of Temperance	125 or 1.2%
(l) Area Leadership School	400 or 3.9%
(m) Methodist Television Ministry	250 or 2.4%
(n) Board of Sec. and Ed. Relations	100 or .9%
(o) Methodist Information and Public Relations Commission	100 or .9%
(p) Commission on Cultivation and Prom	25 or .2%

II. That the Cabinet make the apportionments for the individual charges on the basis of the ratio that other apportionments are made.

- A. Treasurer's expenses shall be 2% not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500.00) of all funds collected.
- B. That the Dist. Supts. receive a salary of \$4,000 (Four Thousand Dollars) per year, travel expense items at \$500.00 (Five Hundred Dollars) and district parsonage rent at \$600.00 (Six Hundred Dollars); making a total of \$5,100.00 (Fifty-one Hundred Dollars) to be prorated to each charge.
- C. That the Episcopal Fund shall be an amount equal to two per cent (2%) of the Pastor's cash salary.
- D. That the Conference Claimants shall be an amount equal to fifteen per cent (15%) of the pastor's cash salary.
- E. That the Greensboro and Winston Districts be given 27% of all apportionments and that the Western and Laurinburg Districts be given 23% of all apportionments.
- F. That each charge of the Conference observe the Special Days as required or set forth by the General Conference.

Report approved by the North Carolina Conference at its One-Hundredth and One Session, John Wesley Methodist Church, Fayetteville, North Carolina, entertaining June 3rd through June 7th, 1959.

J. E. Brower, Chairman

REPORT OF TREASURER ON FINANCE

NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL METHODIST CONFERENCE

Centennial Committee By: G. H. Caldwell

Received from Conference Treasurer	\$ 600.00
Received From Church and Pastors for Brochures	649.00
Total Amount Received	<u>\$1,249.00</u>
Paid Out	\$ 777.02
Accounts Payable	658.30
Total Accounts	<u>\$1,435.32</u>

Balance Due by Centennial Committee	1,435.32
	<u>1,249.00</u>
	\$ 186.32

Received By Finance Committee: Clarence M. Winchester, Treasurer

53 Banquet Tickets @ \$5.00	\$ 265.00
22 Banquet Tickets @ \$3.00	66.00
Total Banquet Tickets Sales	<u>\$ 331.00</u>
Public Collection (June 10,)	39.21
Public Collection (June 11)	29.38
Communion Collection	123.80
Bennett College Collection	65.96
Collection for Mrs. Hogue	30.31
Collection for W. S. Berry	69.30
And Expense of Ministers Attending Funeral	
Sunday Collection ..	390.40
Total Collections	<u>\$ 748.36</u>
Brochures Sales at Registration Desk	26.00
Brochures Sales Reported By Rev. G. M. Phelps	23.00
Rev. J. E. Brower	34.00
Total Receipts	<u>\$1,162.36</u>

Disbursements:

Rev. W. T. Brown for Ministers	
Expense to W. S. Berry Funeral	\$ 30.00
Mrs. W. S. Berry Donation	40.00
Bishop Robert E. Jones	75.00
Bishop Willis J. King	50.00
Rev. G. E. Hogue	30.31
Rev. D. S. Harkness (Publicity)	1.10
Mr. William Gibson (Publicity)	3.70
Mrs. P. I. Wells	3.75
Mrs. T. H. Wooten	6.28
Rev. J. J. Patterson	9.70
Rev. L. M. Mayfield	5.00
Rev. Liston Sellars (Love Feast)	5.30
Rev. Liston Sellars (Refund)	5.00
Mrs. S. A. Peeler	27.61
Schiffmans Jewelry Company	21.60
Citation Award to Supt. B. L. Smith	
Mr. William Gibson	5.00
Mrs. Mammie Smith	5.00
Mr. R. E. Jones, Jr.	20.00
For Tips to Dining Room Help	
Bennett College Collection Received	65.90
Bishop Edgar A. Love	123.80
Communion Collection Received	

Rev. G. H. Caldwell	186.32	
Clarence Whiteman (Music)	10.00	
Bennett College (For Banquet 139 @ \$2.00)	278.00	
Extra Meals	21.45	
Lodging—Meals—Conference Guest And Retired Ministers and Widows	78.25	
Total Amount Paid Out	\$1,108.13	
Balance on Hand	54.23	
Supplementary		
Additional Receipts	25.00	
Additional Receipts	\$ 42.88	
Balance on Hand		\$ 36.25

C. M. Winchester, Treasurer



NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

June 10, 1958 to September 29, 1958 by L. A. Brown: Retiring Treasurer

June 9, 1958 Conference Balance	\$13,458.85	
Received at Conference session:		
Conference Benevolences and Pension	7,441.38	
Publishing House	1,277.22	
Grand Total	22,177.45	
Disbursements: June 10 to September 29	\$22,177.45	
Wesley Foundations:		
J. G. Corry	\$ 72.50	
Douglas Moore	72.50	
Durham M. Church (Advance)	100.00	
Wesley Chapel (Advance)	43.00	
Colins Grove (Advance)	43.00	
L. A. Brown, Treasurer's Exp.	500.00	
St. Andrews (Advance)	200.00	
Baltimore Area Office	800.00	
Midway M. Church (Advance)	350.00	
C. M. Winchester; Lay Activities	52.53	
Mrs. Edgar Love, (Africa)	175.00	
Galilee; Laurinburg	1000.00	
R. F. McCallum (District Exp.)	15.00	
Executive Secy. D. Moore	125.00	
St. Andrews (Advance)	150.00	
Dr. Thomas B. Lugg	974.00	
Gammon Theo. Seminary	441.90	
Allen High School	311.48	
Central Jurisdictional Treas.	741.00	
General Board of Edu.	247.00	
Board of Pension	6,632.00	
Statistician:		
J. J. Patterson	79.53	
Secy. Wm. R. Crawford	100.00	
Assistants to the Treas.		
Revs. Sawyer and Jones	25.00	
Executive Secy.		
Douglas Moore	150.00	
Board of Church Extension:		
G. M. Phelps	71.16	
Treasurer's Help & Materials	35.00	

Leadership School:	
Bennett College	256.50
General Board of Edu.	84.00
Higher Edu. and Area Edu.:	
Bennett College	926.70
Convocation on Evangelism; L. M. Mayfield	50.00
Convocation Delegates, W. T. Brown	100.00
Ferrees Chapel	50.00
John Wesley, Fayetteville	1,709.33
Rent: R. C. Sharpe	45.00
District Advance: H. W. Phillips	427.75
Executive Secy., Douglas Moore	125.00
Delegate Expenses, A. W. Stowe	13.00
Piedmont Office Supply	23.66
Youth Assembly, Bennett College	561.83
Com. on Town and Country: G. E. Hogue	84.04
Mrs. Edgar Love, (Africa)	175.00
Board of Temperance: W. S. McLeod	52.53
Winston District Evangelism: L. A. Brown	63.00
Executive Secy.: Douglas Moore	125.00
N. C. Conference Treasurer: J. W. Gwyn	3,798.51
Total Disbursement, September 29, 1958	\$22,177.45

Signed: L. A. Brown

625 Asheboro St.

Greensboro, N. C.

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT BOARD OF PENSIONS

NORTH CAROLINA (CJ) ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Date of session June 11-15, 1958

Rate Paid \$22.00

RECEIPTS

During 1957-58 to be distributed during 1958-59

Annual Conference Sources

Balance Previous Year	\$ 1,200.73
Pastoral Charges on Apportionment	15,026.78
Held by General Board of Pensions (Ill. Corporation)	1,381.02
Total Investment Income	1,381.02

General Board of Pensions

Chartered Fund	80.00
Appropriation—Illinois Corporation	700.00

Other Items

Methodist Publishing House	1,277.22
Ministers' Wives MRPF	4,706.75
Pledges MRPF	8,999.25

Total	\$33,371.75
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PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS

During 1958-59 of funds collected during 1957-58

Regular Conference Claimants

(On Basis of Service)

Retired Ministers	\$ 7,729.00
Widows	6,732.00
Children	514.00
Total Regular Conference Claimants	14,975.00

Special Conference Claimants

On Basis of Service	702.00
Total Special Conference Claimants	702.00

Other Items

Payable to Clearinghouse	1,001.00
Ministers' Wives MRPF	4,706.75
Pledges MRPF	8,999.25
Trans. to MRPF	2,000.00
Retired	209.00
Prospective Balance	778.75

Total	\$33,371.75
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PROSPECTIVE STATEMENT

RETIRED MINISTERS

Year 1957-58

Annuity Rate \$22.00; Conference; North Carolina (C

NAME	Total Years Approved	N. Car.		Other		Total Annuity	Annuity Supply
		Years	Annuity	Years	Annuity		
Burge, Benj. L.	44½	44½	979			979	
Davis, H. A.	28	28	616			616	
Frost, Evangelist ..	11¾	11¾	259			259	165
Gleaves, Benj. F.	33¾	33¾	743			743	
Ledwell, James H.	18	18	396			396	
Lomax, Walter T.	46	46	1012			1012	
McLeod, Edward M.	29¾	29¾	655			655	44
Shuford, John W.	38½	38½	847			847	
Skeen, David C.	36	36	792			792	
Williams, D. Arthur ..	21	21	462			462	
Winchester, Robert W.	44	44	968			968	
TOTAL	351¼	351¼	7729			7729	209

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION WIDOWS

Year 1958-59

Annuity Rate \$15.40; Conference: North Carolina (CJ)

NAME	Widows App'ed Years	N. Car.		Other		Total Annuity
		Years	Annuity	Years	Annuity	
Alford, James L.	5¾	5¾	89			89
Ashe, Hugh L.	½	½	8			8
Brown, Beverly	13¾	13¾	212			212
Campt, Lowell M.	3¾	3¾	58			58
Fink, Henry	6	6	92			92
Gannaway, Herbert, C.	18	18	277			277
Hall, J. W.	26¾	26¾	412			412
Hill, Dock A.	5½	5½	85			85
Houston, Holton H.	4½	4½	69			69
Howard, Charles E.	7¼	7¼	112			112
Isham, John H.	7¼	7¼	112			112
Johnson, Peter F.	40	40	616			616
Jones, Henry	13½	13½	208			208
Jones, John W.	8¾	8¾	135			135
Jones, M. M.	33¼	33¼	512			512
Kirkland, George D.	3	3	46			46
Laughlin, James A.	27	27	416			416
Laughlin, Marcus C.	24¾	24¾	381			381
Peace, Samuel F. B.	41½	41½	639			639
Peeler, S. A.	39½	39½	603			603
Robinson, Avery E.	10¼	10¼	158			158
Rush, J. C.	28½	28½	439			439
Simpson, John W.	8¼	8¼	127			127
Weatherby, R. T.	38¾	27¾	427	11	108	535
Webb, Prince W.	8½	8½	131			131
Wells, John W.	34	22	339	12	113	452
Wells, Pinkney I.	7	7	108			108
Wooten, Thomas H.	22¾	22¾	350			350
TOTAL	445	422	6500	23	232	6732

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

SPECIAL CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

Year 1958-59

Conference: North Carolina (CJ)

Annuity Rates: Retired \$11.00; Widows \$7.70; Children \$2.75

Ministers	Years	Annuity
McCorkle, T. D.	14	154
Rush, E. A.	26¾	294
McNair, Mrs. Henry	33	254
TOTAL	40¾	448

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

CHILDREN

Year 1958-59

Annuity Rate \$5.50; Conference: North Carolina (CJ)

Name of Mother or Guardian Name of Child	Age	Father's Ap. r'v'd Years	N. Car.		Total Annuity
			Years	Annuity	
Campt, Mrs. L. M. Sylvia Jean	18	3¾	3¾	21	21
Hill, Mrs. Dock A. Linda Estella	10	21¼	21¼	117	117
Hill, Mrs. Dock A. Carolyn Matilda	7	21¼	21¼	117	117
Hill, Mrs. Dock A. Jackgulyn Arphfathia	6	21¼	21¼	117	117
Penn, Mrs. Amy W. Mary Jane Williams (2 Quarters)	20	11¼	11¼	31	31
Stewart, Miss Ann Benjamin W., Jr.	12	20¼	20¼	111	111
TOTAL		99	99	514	514

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT BOARD OF PENSIONS NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

June 4-7, 1959

AVAILABLE FOR 1958-1959 DISTRIBUTION

Balance after 1957-'58 Distribution	\$ 1,283.08
Received from Charges on apportionment	16,121.00
Received from Board of Pensions, Interest on Permanent Fund ..	1,462.25
Received from Board of Pensions, Chartered Fund	80.00
Received from Board of Pensions, On Appropriation	700.00
Received from The Methodist Publishing House	1,272.85
TOTAL	\$20,919.18

CONFERENCE RESPONSIBILITIES

For services in this conference 627 yrs., rate of \$25.00	\$15,675.00
For services in other conferences	475.00
Due Clearinghouse	1,515.00
Due Special Conference Claimants	800.00
Transferred to MRPF	2,000.00
TOTAL	\$20,465.00

Prospective Balance	\$ 454.18
Permanent Fund	\$32,494.52
Stabilization Fund	\$21,166.43
Temporary Reserve Pension Fund:	
In Chicago Office	\$47,083.66
Treasurers Report (1958-'59)	\$11,572.00
Ministers' Wives (Additional)	
TOTAL	\$58,655.65

MAINTENANCE RECEIVED AND DISBURSED

1958-1959

North West Greensboro, Rev. F. D. Caldwell	\$ 400.00
Shady Grove and Cox Chapel, Rev. C. G. Bynum	335.00
Mt. Tabor, Rev. J. W. Shuford	150.00
Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill, Rev. W. E. Hairston	300.00
Asbury-Durham, Rev. Douglas Moore	500.00
Newport News, Rev. E. A. Williams	600.00
Kernersville, Rev. W. T. Lomax	400.00
Hoffman, Rev. John McEachin	400.00
Philadelphia, Rev. I. A. Friend	625.00
New Church at Charlotte, Rev. B. L. Burge	500.00
Walls Chapel, Rev. Miles Murphy	333.32
Franklin, Rev. A. W. Stowe	150.00
Gastonia, Rev. J. T. Jones	400.00
Moorsville, Rev. J. Q. Dula	200.00
West Asheville, Rev. Willie Leazer	700.00
Philadelphia, Rev. S. B. McBrayer	275.00
Forest City, Rev. C. L. Gidney	300.00
Catawba, Rev. R. H. McDowell	300.00

Elkin, Rev. Joseph Bethea	700.00
St. John Thomasville, Rev. W. J. Cameron	400.00
Mt. Pleasant, Rev. W. R. Crawford	150.00
Hoovers Chapel and Chestnut Grove, Rev. J. D. Ashford	500.00
Trinity, Rev. W. P. Cole	400.00
Rural Hall, Rev. P. G. Carter	500.00
GRAND TOTAL	\$9,518.32

G. M. Phelps, Treas.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT RESERVE PENSION FUND

AMOUNT PAID ON PLEDGES 1958-1959

W. T. Brown	\$ 100.00
Eugene Black	15.00
W. L. Napper	10.00
Mrs. Margaret Minor	25.00
J. E. Brower	150.00
C. M. Winchester	150.00
W. R. Royster	28.00
G. M. Phelps	100.00
G. H. Caldwell	50.00
John G. Corry	100.00
W. E. Hairston	50.00
Mrs. Anna Hester	12.50
E. J. Jones	30.00
J. W. Shuford	50.00

REPORT OF THE AREA ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Bishop Love and Members of the Conference:

In making this—my seventh report to the Annual Conferences of the Baltimore Area, I must say, first, a word of profound gratitude to all those who have contributed in any way in making my work most enjoyable and challenging. In a measure this means not only Bishop Love, with whom I am directly associated, but his Area Cabinet—the 18 district superintendents of our conferences, the conference officers, the pastors, and the laymen of our church, including the thousands I have never met or ever seen.

It is, of course, this feeling of oneness among us, despite our widespread territory, which enriches our total program and which strengthens our fellowship.

We urge support of the two major projects which will be presented by our office this year:

1. The Area Ministers' Wives Retreat, to be held at the Morgan Christian Center, July 15-18. Because of the unprecedented success of last year's retreat for the women of the Delaware and Washington Conferences, the ladies almost unanimously requested that the retreat be enlarged this year to embrace the entire area.

It will doubtless be necessary for the women of the East Tennessee and North Carolina Conferences to come in car pools as a matter of economy. They should thus make travel plans early. Advance registration of \$2.00 must be in the area office by July 1st.

2. The bi-quadrennial Area Council will meet October 7-9, in John Stewart Church, Bluefield, West Virginia. Official delegates are listed in the Area Council by-laws, found in the journals of each Annual Conference.

Superintendents are requested to see that pastoral delegates representing the various districts are elected as soon as practicable after the Annual Conferences.

The Council will meet for the first time within the bounds of the East Tennessee Conference. Because of the travel distance, all delegates must come in car pools, if at all possible. Superintendents are requested to plan such pools from their respective districts by July 31, so that the delegation can be determined before the August vacation month.

We recommend that Sunday, June 28, be observed as **Baltimore Area Messenger Day** in our churches, and that each pastor be requested to report a minimum of five subscriptions for the paper during the week following. Promotional materials will be sent each charge from the Area Office.

Respectfully submitted,
Daniel Lyman Ridout
Area Secretary

April, 1959

REPORT OF CONFERENCE LAY LEADER

Bishop Love, members of this 101st Annual Conference, and my dear Christian friends.

May I first thank each and every layman, pastor and member within the bounds of our jurisdiction for the support and cooperation and counsel rendered in behalf of the Board of Lay Activities this past year. Your support is ever required and most graciously desired.

During the past year, I have visited every district in the conference and have responded to every request where feasibly possible, to promote the work of the Laity in the North Carolina Conference.

We must view our results during the past year as we would a field of grain. Did we plant and did we harvest? What was the ratio? What was the yield? What was the result? Our task is a great one and our challenge is tremendous. But if we are strong and willing we will face up to our task.

Let us look at some facts and pose some further questions. These facts and statistics are revealing for our future growth.

There are 95 charges in the North Carolina Conference.

There are 55 methodist men's clubs.

There are 60 non-charted clubs

There are 13,912 members in the North Carolina Conference women and children included. Let us assume 1/5 of this number are men. That would be 2,782 or 2,800 men in the North Carolina Conference.

There are men to be won. There are needs to be met. How well we do our job depends on how well we plan and how well we follow the plan.

For the first time Methodist membership is not keeping up with the growth of the U. S. population. Why? What's happening? My answer is that the General Church program is not being carried out on the local church level.

The job to be done must be and can only be effective in the local church, we are here to report and plan but the job has to be done or undone at the local church. We don't do the job here. We leave here to do a job at the local level.

The laymen must be concerned and help to answer such problems as:
 Are our ministers declining in number?
 Are our ministers declining in quality?
 Are the requirements of the church too high for us?
 What will be the outcome?
 Have we stopped to project ourselves into the future?

What will be required of us in 1965-75? Will we have a plan or will we be like topsy? Will our church be able to administer the spiritual needs of the time?

A 5 year plan at least is the shortest plan we can afford. One forward progressive project would be: Every District securing a parsonage.

The prospects of a better ministerial quorum haunts us to the bitter end. We stand by and see our ministerial numbers declining and we cry, crying is good, it shows a concern; but tears will not solve this problem, recruiting is the answer here. The Laymen feel that the Reserve Pension Fund will aid greatly in this program. The Laymen gaze and are amazed at the attitude of some of the ministers in this connection, ministers that condemn this program and refuse to cooperate with it. We pray that the ultimate success that we are sure to have will challenge the minister to put forth the necessary efforts to keep it a-foot.

My brothers, we must awaken to our responsibility and put on a new armor of enthusiasm, a new spiritual concern. Our program must be one that we can point to with pride and the knowledge that this we do is building the kingdom of God at home and abroad; this we do must be revealing that this is a fellowship, a brotherhood that is worthy of all our commendation and a rewarding belief that God Almighty is also proud.

The Church Builders Club offers also a Challenge that the laymen of North Carolina will endeavor to accept. All our strength and will must be behind this movement. Our efforts this year have not been too good, but we believe that we can do this job and with your help and God's mercy we have no fear for the outcome.

Are we accepting the changes that progress necessitates? Are other denominations doing a better job than we are because they are servicing better, ministering better and helping the people to face life's problems better through spiritual guidance?

In 1916 the North Carolina Conference had 13,753 members, last year 13,900; these figures are taken from your minutes. 159 increase in 43 years.

Let us not fool ourselves, let's look this situation squarely in the face. Where we have progressed let us be thankful, where we have failed, let us admit it. Let us acknowledge a fact of life, anything that is not growing is dying, and it's up to us to choose our weapon.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the 5th Sunday be and is hereby declared as District meeting Sunday.
2. That each District set up a building program for the purchase of a District Parsonage.
3. That renewed emphasis be put on the Church Builders Club project.
4. That every Church, (not charge) have a Chartered Methodist Men's Club.
5. That the laymen assist in recruiting Christian Vocational Workers, and further that each charge attempt to recruit a Christian Vocational worker during the year.

REPORT ON TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION

Bishop Edgar A. Love, and Members of the 101 Annual Conference (C. J.)
Greeting:

The Commission on Town and Country this year have not done as much as it desired, however, we are hoping of a few projects this year, such as the "Lord's Acre" and increase on the "Lord's Hour" which has been much help in supporting the local church financial program. We had hoped by this time that every charge would have had a chairman on "Lord's Acre" and "Lord's Hour". This kind of program has worked in a fine way in many a charge.

We also urge for another year the Five Point Program to be selected from the Twelve Point Program as (1) to the following, "To Assist Methodist Couples to Find Places on Farms and other Occupations in the rural charges, (2) To provide Religious Services For Isolated Groups and Families and New Unchurch Communities, (3) To Strengthen the Program of Christian Education in The Local Church, (4) To Urge the Adoption of an Adequate Salary Plan in each Annual Conference (5) To help to Create in Our Ministry a Deeper Sense of Mission and Evangelism. And that these be stressed in each Quarterly Conference this next Conference year.

And that the Town and Country hold one-day Town and Country Convocation on each district in the month of October of this year. And that each Superintendent help to plan these meetings.

Our Town and Country will have their National Conference in Wichita, Kansas, July 21-24, 1959. We have also registered 3 delegates from this Conference.

We are hoping on our return that we will be so inspired that many a Town and Country Program will be set up in many of our town and rural churches.

Yours in His Name,

G. E. Hogue

Chairman on Town and Country
Commission

REPORT ON TELEVISION, RADIO, AND FILM COMMISSION

Bishop Edgar A. Love, Ministers and Delegates of the N. C. Conference, C. J.
Greeting:

We are happy to report that more than 200 Broadcasting Stations are carrying our program "TALK BACK AND CHILDREN PROGRAM." But most of these stations come on at hours when so many of our people are at church, and we have a few to come on on Saturday. We must admit that these are very good programs for the local church to hear and take back to their local congregations.

But we have not done anything about these programs in our Conferences as the white conferences have done.

One of the main reasons is that when we were in Nashville, Tenn. at the training session for three days, and at the close of the meeting, we were to all have our pictures taken, and the whole group of white people refused to let us be on the pictures, and they said if we would not do anything about it we would be selected to appear on the Raleigh program as soon as the station accepted the program. And we have not heard from them since.

However, we have been using their prints and started them around to some of the churches, but this picture has not returned to me so others may use it. We are very much disappointed with the program. It seems it is only for the white man.

We would like for this Conference to advise us on this matter.

Yours in This Work,

G. E. Hogue

Chairman on the TV-Radio Program

DELEGATES TO THE TRAINING CONFERENCE

Rev. Miles Murphy

Mrs. L. A. Thompson

Rev. James McCallum

Rev. G. E. Hogue

THE MINISTERS' WIVES' REPORT

The Ministers' Wives of the North Carolina Conference presented their financial report for pension fund in program form on June 6, 1959, Mrs. S. L. Townsend, presiding.

The program was as follows:

Prelude

Song—"God of Grace"

Prayer—Mrs. P. G. Carter

Necrology—Mrs. R. M. Patterson

Mrs. Patterson dressed a small table with a basket of white gladiolas and two white candles. The gladiolas symbolized our sympathy for our departing members as she paid tribute to those in name she lighted the candles in memory of Mrs. P. I. Wells who passed during the month of April, and Mrs. R. D. Sharpe, during the month of May. After the lighting of candles commemorating each passing, the audience joined us in singing "There Is A Land of Pure Delight," after the song Mrs. Patterson prayed this prayer:

Our Father, we pray that Thou wilt keep in tender love the lives which we shall hold in blessed memory. Help us who continue here to serve Thee with constancy trusting in thy promise of eternal life that hereafter we may be united with thy blessed children in glory everlasting. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Song—"Stand Up For Jesus"

Presentation of flowers by Mrs. R. W. Winchester

Mrs. Love also received a corsage from the Ministers' Wives group along with the retired and deceased Ministers' wives.

The retired ministers' wives present were as follows:

Mrs. J. W. Shuford

Mrs. R. W. Winchester

Mrs. P. F. Johnson

Mrs. J. W. Simpson

Mrs. P. F. Gleaves

Wives of deceased ministers were:

Mrs. T. H. Wooten

Mrs. J. C. Rush

Mrs. Bethea

Mrs. W. M. Gannaway

Introduction of speaker—Mrs. C. M. Mayfield

Speaker—Mrs. J. C. Rush

“Retired Ministers’ Wives”

Chorus—Ministers’ wives, music by Mrs. W. P. Cole

Presentation of the new ministers’ wives. They were: Mrs. C. E. Tyson,

Mrs. R. H. McDowell, Mrs. Joseph Bethea.

Roll call by Districts

Greensboro District	\$1,375.00
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Laurinburg District	507.00
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Winston District	1,607.00
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Western District	1,295.00
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TOTAL	\$4,784.00
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Remarks by Bishop Love

Song—“Work For The Night Is Coming”

WESTERN DISTRICT

Mrs. J. T. Jones	\$ 70.00
Mrs. R. D. Sharpe	50.00
Mrs. B. L. Burge	100.00
Mrs. O. S. Devenport	100.00
Mrs. Charles Tyson	100.00
Mrs. J. Q. Dula	105.00
Mrs. S. L. Townsend	100.00
Mrs. C. O. Hill	100.00
Mrs. M. S. Laughlin	100.00
Mrs. G. W. Patterson	40.00
Mrs. C. W. Bailey	50.00
Mrs. B. J. Dula	25.00
Mrs. A. W. Stowe	133.00
Mrs. H. W. Phillips	100.00
Mrs. Daisy Johnson	100.00
Mrs. M. M. McCallum	50.00
Mrs. C. R. Gidney	25.00
Rev. O. E. Robinson	20.00
Mrs. R. H. McDowell	5.00
Mrs. W. L. Leazer	5.00
Mrs. John Bowman	5.00
Mrs. D. S. Harkness	50.00

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Mrs. J. W. Hall (Wife of deceased minister)	\$ 10.00
Mrs. A. S. Peace (Wife of deceased minister)	10.00
Mrs. Beverly Brown (Wife of deceased minister)	10.00
Mrs. W. E. Hairston	10.00
Mrs. W. T. Lomax	15.00

Mrs. J. H. Minor	20.00
Mrs. R. W. Winchester (Wife of deceased minister)	25.00
Mrs. Eugene Black	30.00
Mrs. W. N. Johnson	30.00
Mrs. E. J. Jones	35.00
Mrs. R. M. Martin	35.00
Mrs. L. W. Coltrane	37.00
Mrs. J. W. Shuford	40.00
Mrs. T. C. Tarpley	50.00
Mrs. C. G. Bynum	60.00
Mrs. G. Haven Caldwell	103.00

Mrs. W. L. Napper	75.00
Mrs. F. D. Morehead	80.00
Mrs. J. E. Brower	100.00
Mrs. G. M. Phelps	100.00
Mrs. F. D. Caldwell	100.00
Mrs. Liston Sellers	100.00
Mrs. J. G. Corry	100.00
Mrs. O. W. Burwick	100.00
Mrs. W. T. Brown	100.00
TOTAL	\$1,332.00

43.00

1,375.00

Mrs. C. A. Peeler	10.00
	<u>\$1,385.00</u>

WINSTON DISTRICT

Mrs. J. H. Jones	\$ 75.00
Mrs. J. W. Jones	100.00
Mrs. Joseph B. Bethea	138.00
Mrs. W. S. McLeod	111.00
Mrs. J. J. Patterson	100.00
Mrs. G. A. Brooks	40.00
Mrs. H. A. Smith	100.00
Mrs. L. B. Eldridge	36.00
Mrs. Otto Withers	20.00
Mrs. Buford Miller	25.00
Mrs. P. G. Carter	100.00
Rev. J. D. Ashford	55.00
Mrs. W. J. Cameron	80.00
Mrs. W. P. Cole	172.00
Mrs. W. R. Crawford	105.00
Mrs. R. F. McCallum	50.00
Mrs. J. W. Gwyn	100.00
Mrs. L. M. Mayfield	100.00
Mrs. L. A. Brown	100.00
TOTAL	<u>\$1,607.00</u>

JUNE 6, 1959

Mrs. O. M. Graham	\$
Mrs. C. C. Strickland	60.00
John Wesley Methodist Church	50.00
Mrs. D. H. McLean	5.00
Mrs. D. R. McGirt	2.00
Mrs. John McEachern	10.00

Mrs. J. H. McCallum	50.00
Mrs. G. E. Hogue	25.00
Mrs. J. W. Ferree	50.00
Mrs F. F. McCallum	15.00
Mrs. J. F. Sawyer	10.00
Rev. A. H. Douglas	25.00
Rev. J. H. Shivers	
Mrs. Walter Davis	10.00
Rev. R. C. Sharpe	30.00
Rev. Miles Murphy	5.00
Mrs. Alto Webb	7.00
Mrs. Th. Wooten	62.00
Mrs. John Monroe	5.00
Mrs. B. F. Gleaves	25.00
Mrs. J. L. Alford	10.00
District Conference	16.00
TOTAL	\$ 472.00



DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH AND SURVEYS

BALTIMORE AREA

Bishop Edgar A. Love and Conferences of the Area:

The service of Research and Surveys of the Area Office submit to you its report for the Conference Year 1958-59. It has been our privilege to provide service in the following:

1. To make two (2) confidential reports for Bishop Edgar A. Love covering certain items in the North Carolina Washington and East Tennessee Conferences. These matters required very careful research and study so that we could be sure that they were correct.
2. Two research field trips were made to Norfolk, Va. to study the possibility of securing the Memorial Methodist in Norfolk for the use of Negro Methodists. This church would have been within the bounds of the North Carolina Conference. The field is ripe but Conference dollars are few, we could not bring our hopes to fruition.
3. Made a study of, and, recommended that the Washington Conference acquire the Branch Memorial Methodist Church, Richmond District, Virginia Conference to become a church in the Washington Conference as an appointment in the Virginia Washington District. The growing Negro population of the Virginia Capital cannot be served by two Methodist Churches. I have a feeling that further study in Richmond will show that we ought to relocate Leigh St. Memorial Church. The Urban Renewal and Housing have plans in that area of the City that will effect the status of the Church.

A Church Department of this kind has many contacts with similar type agencies. It has been a pleasure to attend the following Conferences, and serve on the Committees and Commissions:

1. Regional meeting of the American Society of Planning Officials New York City week-end of October 16-18, 1958.

2. Washington-Delaware Conference on Missions, Morgan State College, Baltimore, Md., July 15-18, 1958. Served as consultant on Urban Life as it effects the Church.
3. Attended All Day Conference on "The Role of The Church in Urban Renewal" held under the auspices of the Council of Churches and the Baltimore Urban Renewal and Housing Authority, April 8, 1959 in Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, Md.
4. Attended Annual Meeting of Md. State Conference of Social Welfare Goucher College, Towson, Md., May 7, 1959.

During the Conference Year served as a member of the Following Boards and Commissions:

1. Board of Missions—Washington Conference
2. Commission on Town and Country Life—Washington Conference
3. Comity Commission—Council of Churches for Md. and Delaware.
4. Comity Commission—National Capital Council of Churches
5. Department of Urban Church—National Council of Churches, U. S. A.
6. National Probation and Paroloe Association
7. National Conference of Social Work
8. American Society of Planning Officials
9. Executive Board Baltimore Branch, N.A.A.C.P.
10. Md. State Conference of Social Welfare

Recommendations:

1. That the Conference Boards of Missions in each of the four Conferences, study carefully their Urban and Rural territories and map out plans to meet the needs of missions and Church extensions within their bounds. Also to know and understand that each Conference give its Board of Missions ample funds to carry on a program of Church Extension both Urban and Rural. We are missing too many opportunities because the lay people are not made aware of the needs, and, therefore have not given the needed money. We can no longer depend on the National Board of Missions to provide money.
2. We must restudy our whole Town and Country Program so that we can meet the needs of the people living there to be served by our Methodist Church. We must love living people more than Church Grave yards. This will mean a full program to serve Children, Youth and Adults. It will also mean that some of our weak Circuits will have a full time Resident Minister and not a "Suit Case Pastor." It may mean for some, a Group Ministry of a real Larger Parish with Staff. The Methodist Church must always look and plan wisely, for a Rural and Town Ministry to meet present day needs.
3. That the several Annual Conferences select proper persons, both lay and Ministerial to represent them at the forthcoming Conference on Town and Country Work in July, 1959.

Appreciation:

My work could not have been done without a word of thanks to the following persons and groups:

1. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Resident Bishop of the Baltimore Area
2. Rev. D. L. Ridout, Administrative Assistant of the Area and Staff
3. To the District Superintendents of the several Conferences for their kindness and cooperation
4. To the agencies of the cities, State and National Government for material, staff time and cooperation
5. To God for life, health and wisdom to labor in his name for the Church.

Respectfully submitted,
(Rev.) Samuel M. Carter, Director
Research and Surveys
Baltimore Area—Methodist Church

REPORT OF THE WESLEY FOUNDATION

A. AND T. COLLEGE
GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

The Wesley Foundation at A. and T. College proceeded this year under the organization that was set up last year. The year proved to be a fairly successful one.

Two study groups were organized which met weekly on Mondays and Wednesdays. The first of these groups was "Essentials of Christian Doctrine," the purpose of which was to acquaint the students with the basic tenets of the Christian faith. The other study course was "Christian Ethics." In this group we endeavored to expose the students to a historical acquaintance with Christian ethics, showing how Christianity has affected the culture of the world during the last nineteen hundred years. Particular emphases were placed upon the code of conduct for Christians in our modern day world. Student participation in both of these groups was encouraging and inspiring.

Aside from the study-groups, worship services were held every first and third Sunday at Browning Chapel Methodist Church. The first Sunday services consisted of a Communion service and meditation. The third Sunday consisted of a meditation service and fellowship hour.

Two delegates were sent to the Leadership Training School held at Camp New Hope, near Chapel Hill. Five delegates were sent to the State Methodist Student Movement Conference held at Winston-Salem.

One of the highlights of the year was a communion-fellowship hour held jointly with the Wesley Foundation of North Carolina College at Durham.

One of the greatest obstacles confronting an effective Wesley Foundation program at A. and T. College was the lack of proper financial support. Our conference has not yet become aware of the need for a Methodist organization on our state and independent college campus. Only two churches in our entire conference paid the full thirty cents (.30) per member for the support of Wesley Foundations, as requested by the General Conference.

We need, then, to become awakened to the necessity of having Methodism confront the youth on our state and independent college campus. We either confront them with Methodism or lose them to paganism or other denominations: The choice is ours:

Respectfully submitted,
John G. Corry, Director
Wesley Foundation
A. and T. College
Greensboro, North Carolina

ANNUAL REPORT EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Methodism historic commitment to the proposition that knowledge and piety are inseparable, mutually accommodating each other, finds expression today through the board of education. As an integral part of the Methodist Church, we have the responsibility to promote and sustain the union of knowledge and piety. In consultation and cooperation with the General Board of Education and under the supervision of the North Carolina Conference Board of Education, the executive secretary and the voluntary teams on each district have worked to make the interaction of education and religious experience a coherent whole.

We have promoted the program of the Church with the resources that we have at our disposal. Our program at this stage of development is concentrated in the summer months. At this time we have most of our leadership enterprises. However, this also means that prior planning has taken place in Greensboro, Baltimore, Winston-Salem and Nashville. Last summer in our several leadership conferences we had our largest attendance in the history of the conference. In our Area Leadership School were 22 persons as over against 16 last year. In our School of Mission we had 85 an increase from last year. At our young people's assembly we had 168 person and increase of 52. Our district youth institutes on the Winston, Western and Greensboro Districts have been well attended and well planned. On the Western District we had a good Christian Workers School for three days with an enrollment of 55. The Western District had more people taking part in all of our leadership enterprises than any other district. They have come from the bottom to the top.

In the interest of the work of the conference, the executive secretary attended the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Area Pastor's School meeting in Baltimore, attended the annual meeting of executive secretaries in Nashville, attended the annual meeting of the Inter-conference Commission on student work in Durham.

This year stress has been placed on our Wesley Foundation work at A. and T. and NCC Colleges. There are two reasons for this: one is the quadrennial emphasis on higher education and second the special need of our annual conference. Prior to our administration, there was not an organized student program on our state college campuses. Now we have two organized and functioning foundations with elective boards of directors. At a latter time we shall hear from one of our students on the campus work.

The foundations are important to the North Carolina Conference for a number of reasons. The first one is that the foundation is the Church away from home for our students. Here the foundation keeps the vital touch with the students who will be future local church leaders. The Church through the foundation makes its claim for the complete loyalty of the students for the cause of Christ. The other gods of the campus make their claim and we as stewards of these young people are duty bound to present the call of the church.

The second reason the foundation is important is that the seed bed for our ministerial and missionary recruitment is there. Because of the high academic requirement for entering the Methodist ministry, the work of the foundation is indispensable to the North Carolina Annual Conference. We can no longer look for recruits who have not finished college. Here are some interesting figures about our conference ministerial membership. Out of 59 ministers in full connection 22 are seminary graduates; 14 are college graduates; 4 attended college and 19 have no college training. In 10 years 6 of the 22 seminary men will retire, 5 of the 14 college graduates, 2 of the 4 that attended colleges and 10 of those who have no college education. This will be a total of 23 men that we will lose through retirement in the next ten years and of course no one knows how many of us will sleep the deep sleep before that time. With higher academic requirements and the impending retirement of half of our men, we will face a critical shortage of ministers which will mean that we will have to rely on supply preachers. One of the major and best ways for us to face this crises is to develop our foundations on state college campuses. Whereas conferences in South Carolina, Florida, Arkansas, Texas, Georgia and other states have co-ed colleges to feed their conferences with ministers, we do not; therefore, we must work on the state college campuses.

And finally, if we are to fulfill our obligation to the Church in supplying missionaries, we must work on the college campus. It is easier in some respects to become a Methodist minister than it is to become a missionary. The requirements are high and there are no "supply" missionaries. The call and need for persons of high visibility are great. There is no other place to get missionaries other than the college campus.

In behalf of all of those who work with the board of education, I wish to thank you for your increased giving to Methodist Student Day, Church School Rally Day and the Wesley Foundations.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF TEMPERANCE

Rev. S. L. Townsend, convened the committee upon the request of Bishop Love, in the absence of Rev. W. S. McLeod, who is ill, also it was the request of Rev. McLeod, that the committee elect S. L. Townsend, the chairman, and this was done.

A MEMORIAL TO THE 1960 GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF JOHN STREET METHODIST CHURCH, NEW YORK, N. Y.

(The Trustees of John Street Methodist Church are elected by and are directly responsible to the General Conference by the terms and under the authority of a CHARTER enacted in 1866 by the Legislature of the State of New York, and approved and accepted by the 1868 General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The said CHARTER declares: "At any regular session or meeting of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States, said general conference shall elect a Board of Trustees, not exceeding nine in number, to be trustees of said corporation (John Street Church), and to hold this office until the next session of the general conference, and until their successors are elected, as aforesaid." And—"The business and affairs of the corporation hereby created shall be managed by a board of trustees, not exceeding nine in number, but the acts of said trustees as such shall be subject at all times and subordinate to the directions and instructions of said general conference relative thereto.")

WHEREAS the formal organization of Methodism in America was first achieved in the establishment of a Class and Society of Methodists in the City of New York in the fall of 1766;

AND WHEREAS the recognition and celebration of the Centenary of American Methodism in 1866 was provided for by several actions of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at its regular sessions in 1856, 1860 and 1864, whereby committees with power were designated, detailed plans formulated and carried out upon a denomination-wide basis;

AND WHEREAS the original New York Methodist Society has continued across almost two centuries in the vital and intensely active work maintained upon the property at John Street, New York City, that was secured in 1768, this John Street Methodist Church being the only church of the denomination to stand directly under the control of the General Conference by virtue of the aforesaid CHARTER of the Legislature of the State of New York, as accepted by the 1868 General Conference, and continuously observed by every General Conference since that date;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of John Street Methodist Church, New York City, elected to this office by the 1956 General Conference, do hereby petition the 1960 General Conference as follows:

To designate a Commission of the General Conference, with power, to formulate plans for the appropriate recognition and celebration in 1966 of the **BI-CENTENARY OF AMERICAN METHODISM**, which will occur, and to report said plans in detail to the 1964 General Conference for the consideration and action of that body.

For the Board of Trustees of John Street Methodist Church, New York City,

Arthur Bruce Moss,
Recorder for the Trustees.

Done at the Annual Meeting
of the Board of Trustees
of John Street Methodist Church,
New York, N. Y.,
January 12, 1959.

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration concur in the foregoing Memorial and recommend its adoption.

Clarence M. Winchester Chairman
Robert C. Erwin, Secretary



MEMORIAL TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE

FROM THE CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

We the members of the Commission on Christian Higher Education of the North Carolina Annual Conference respectfully memorialize the General Conference of The Methodist Church to consider the following:

Whereas, the Discipline of 1956 provides in paragraph 1442: "The board (education) shall be responsible for developing and promoting . . . all institutions of higher education related to the conference, Wesley Foundations and Methodist Student Movement";

Whereas, the total work of Christian education should, as far as possible, be unified on the conference level and in the approach to the local church;

Whereas, the administration, promotion and financing of the cause of Christian education would be more effective if carried on by one agency in the conference;

Whereas, the welfare of our students in institutions of higher education is one with that of pupils in our local church schools;

Therefore, be it resolved that we request the General Conference to eliminate the Conference Commission on Christian Higher Education, and give the Conference Board of Education the functions of the now existing commission on Christian Higher Education.

Be it further resolved, that, the functions of the now existing commission be the responsibility of a committee to the Board of Education, known as the Committee on Christian Higher Education.

May 15, 1959

The Committee on Memorials To The General Conference after due consideration concur in the foregoing Memorial and recommend its adoption.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman
R. C. Erwin, Secretary

RESOLUTION PROPOSING MEMORIAL

TO BE PRESENTED TO THE 1960 GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

WHEREAS, in The Methodist Church, a large number of pastoral appointments are served by Approved Supply Pastors, and in many Annual Conferences these Pastors constitute a substantial proportion of the total appointments;

And, WHEREAS, under paragraph 622 of the Discipline of The Methodist Church, Approved Supply Pastors, serving pastoral appointments, shall be seated in the Annual Conference session, with privilege of speaking on any question, but without vote, unless by a three-fourths vote of the Annual Conference at its opening session, such Approved Supply Pastors are permitted to vote on all matters coming before the Conference, except those dealing with ordination, character and conference relations of ministers, and the election of lay and ministerial delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences;

And, WHEREAS, the extension of the privilege of voting as outlined in paragraph 622 of the Discipline, in actual practice is not often accomplished;

And, WHEREAS, by this lack of privilege of voting by Approved Supply Pastors, the pastoral appointments represented thereby are denied the right of their Pastor's vote on many matters affecting such pastoral appointments;

And, WHEREAS, Lay Members of an Annual Conference have the right to vote on all matters coming before the Conference, except those relating to ordination, character and conference relations of ministers;

Now, Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED, That each Annual Conference of The Methodist Church be requested to submit to the General Conference of 1960 a Memorial, petitioning change in paragraph 622 of the Discipline, so that it shall read: "Approved Supply Pastors who are in charge of pastoral appointments shall be seated in the Annual Conference Session, with the privilege of speaking on any question, and voting on any question except that such Approved Supply Pastors shall not vote on any matter dealing with ordination, character or conference relations of ministers, and the election of lay and ministerial delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences."

Submitted for consideration by

THE PHILADELPHIA LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION

Charles W. Urbanski, Secretary,

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Chester, Pennsylvania

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration concur in the foregoing Memorial and recommend its adoption.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman

R. C. Erwin, Secretary

MEMORIAL TO THE 1960 GENERAL CONFERENCE METHODIST CHURCH

TITLES: THE METHODIST FEDERATION FOR SOCIAL ACTION.
(Unofficial)

Whereas, uncertainty has existed concerning the status of the unofficial Methodist Federation for Social Action, resulting at one time in an unfortunate resolution (par. 2031—1952 Discipline), adopted without formal charges and an official hearing, and

Whereas, since that date, largely under new leadership, the Federation office has been moved, and the organization has maintained the objective authorized by the General Conference of 1908, and

Whereas, a factual and objective statement published in the "Discipline" in the manner of par. 2032 (1956 Discipline), should do much to prevent any future misunderstanding,

Therefore, Be it Resolved, that the General Conference of 1960 authorize the publication of the following paragraph in the 1960 Discipline as Paragraph 2033 or other properly numbered paragraph:

"The Methodist Federation for Social Action is an unofficial fellowship of members, organized as the Methodist Federation for Social Service in 1907, authorized by the General Conference in 1908 to call the attention of the church to the more important social issues, without committing The Methodist Church to the opinions expressed by the Federation."

The above originated in the bounds of the New York East Conference and will be submitted to the Committee of Memorials of that Conference for reference and action.

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration voted non-concurrence in the foregoing Memorial and recommend that the North Carolina Conference vote likewise.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman
Richard C. Erwin, Secretary

TITLE: BOARD OF PUBLICATION AND THE UNOFFICIAL METHODIST FEDERATION FOR SOCIAL ACTION

Whereas, the Methodist Federation for Social Action, organized as an unofficial fellowship as "Methodist Federation for Social Service" in 1907, was authorized by the General Conference in 1908 to call the attention of the church to the more important social issues, and

Whereas, such authorization has never been officially withdrawn by any General Conference, and

Whereas, however, the General Conference of 1952 affirmed that the public was confused concerning the Federation and that many members of the Methodist Church were embarrassed by certain pronouncements the Federation had made; and action by the Board of Publication in requesting termination of occupancy of quarters in the Methodist Building at 150 Fifth Avenue, N. Y. was approved, and

Whereas, The Federation did move its headquarters office to the Pacific coast and no evidence has been presented of continued confusion or embarrassment, and,

Whereas, the resolution of 1952 made no mention of advertising nor did it give any mandate to the Board of Publication in any respect save office space in the headquarters building, but that NEVERTHELESS, the Board of Publication has on two occasions refused to accept paid advertising, announcing meetings of the Federation, citing as authority the resolution of 1952,

Therefore, Be it Resolved that the General Conference of 1960 respectfully be requested to direct the Board of Publication to accept paid advertising of the Federation on the same terms as other organizations, societies, etc.

The above memorial is being offered to the Committee on Memorials of the New York East Annual Conference for presentation and action by the conference, by Loyd F. Worley.

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration voted non-concurrence in the foregoing Memorial and recommend that the North Carolina Conference vote likewise.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman
R. C. Erwin, Secretary

ROLL OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE

Our Promoted Fellow Workers

*"These all died in the work and hope of Christ, receiving
the end of their faith—the salvation of their souls."*

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1816	Henry E. Pope	1870	7	May 28, 1879 Greensboro
1820	Mingo G. Groom	1874	7	March 17, 1881 Wilmington
	Geo. W. Price	1871	10	September 12, 1881 Charlotte
	Florad Waters	1875	7	March 29, 1883 Maxton
1821	Matthews Alson	1870	14	April 1, 1884 Greensboro
	Nelson Farror	1871	4	January 9, 1887 Raleigh
1816	James Payne	1878	9	April 1, 1888 Greensboro
1825	A. M. Turner	1874	16	August, 1888 Raleigh
	Josiah Caldicut	1891	16	August 12, 1890 Marion
	Geo. W. Ratcliff	1891		1891 Hickory
1830	W. W. Morgan	1872	27	September 16, 1882 Kernersville
1825	Wilson Gray	1877	15	November, 1892 Dobson
	Thos. S. Sitt	1893	1	November, 1894 Lexington
1839	W. W. Smith	1888	19	May 20, 1896 Lexington
1835	Wiley C. Gibson	1875	23	November, 1898 Hamlet
1826	Wyatt Walker	1871	26	May 20, 1900 Reidsville
1846	O. Letterlough	1899	2	April 20, 1900 Maxton
1940	C. Harshaw	1828	16	July 3, 1900 Lenoir
1840	Samuel L. Johnson	1890	12	November 6, 1910 Mount Airy
1818	Andrew Conner	1870	20	February 7, 1903 McPelah
1854	M. C. Rogers	1889	22	July 24, 1903 Salem
1941	John E. Champlain	1869	34	October 8, 1903 High Point
1837	Isaac Wells	1870	37	February 28, 1907 Greensboro
1846	Evander McDaniel	1889	18	August 8, 1907 Townsville
1897	Jacob C. Price	1907	4	May 23, 1911 Reidsville
1869	John M. McNeil	1902	9	August 5, 1911 Rowland
	D. L. Dixon	1910	2	November 18, 1912 Statesville
1852	S. A. Gibson	1890	22	August 2, 1912 High Point
1831	David Connell	1878	41	December 15, 1912 Greensboro
1863	Alexander Clark	1887	26	June 15, 1913 Greensboro
1869	John W. Davis	1893	21	April 14, 1914 Laurinburg
	L. G. McDonald			August, 1916 Lamar, S. C.
	Ellis Ellison			March 28, 1917 Winston-Salem
	Chas. W. Blaylock	1875	24	1917 Greensboro
	John C. Robbins		23	July 8, 1917 Gastonia
1856	W. A. Pryor		22	August 25, 1918 High Point
1857	F. L. Bost	1898	12	Kernersville
1849	J. H. Hunter	1883	15	Greensboro
1848	S. M. Hanes	1875		Winston
1853	Samuel McDonald	1890	30	Winston
1853	S. P. West	1882	38	January 22, 1921 Oxford
1864	G. F. Hill	1888		February 26, 1920 Old Fort
	Henry Fink		6	
1835	L. B. Gibson		6	March 26, 1822 Greensboro
1844	W. P. Hayes	1888	16	August 28, 1922 Maxton
1861	M. M. Jones	1891	34	March 9, 1925 Greensboro
1872	J. A. Laughlin	1905	30	November 19, 1925 Greensboro
	J. H. Isham			September 21, 1927 Rockingham

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
	W. M. Crawford			November, 1927 Winston
1838	Elisha Howard	1885		February, 1928 Asheboro
1862	A. W. McMaster	1894	34	November, 1928 Greensboro
1858	J. D. Murphy	1896	30	August, 1928 Maxton
1881	A. D. McDonald	1920	9	1928 Randolph
1848	Robert Smith	1886	50	January 30, 1930 Brown Summit
1872	N. M. Martin	1906	24	February, 1930 Asheville
1864	G. W. Brower	1892	39	1930 High Point
1854	J. W. Jones	1898	32	1930 Guilford
1878	C. E. Howard	1916	14	July 25, 1930 Mocksville
1872	A. G. Jenkins	1905	25	September, 1930 Charlotte
1870	E. D. Petty	1894	36	1930 Chicago, Ill.
1853	E. H. Arthur	1887	44	November, 1931 Greensboro
1861	J. P. Morris	1890	41	May, 1931 Greensboro
1869	N. S. T. Shambouger	1910	21	September, 1931 Lumberton
1874	N. M. Black	1907	24	December 20, 1931 Winston
	J. A. Cherry		16	May 10, 1932 Hickory
1854	M. J. Bullock	1885	37	June 13, 1932 Greensboro
1878	J. R. Dillard	1917	15	July 10, 1932 Ramseur
1849	W. W. Pope	1883	37	July 22, 1932 Winston
1896	G. T. Foley	1925	8	January 14, 1933 High Point
1843	J. C. Addie	1894	32	May 2, 1933 Hickory
1837	Daniel Brooks	1874	34	May 12, 1933 High Point
1867	M. C. Laughlin	1811	12	July 17, 1933 Greensboro
1852	J. D. Hairston	1885	28	October 23, 1933 Goldsboro
1872	J. W. Wells	1889	32	January 18, 1934 Greensboro
1864	J. H. Garrett	1882	21	February 9, 1935 Reidsville
1852	A. H. Newsome	1883	52	September 30, 1935 Greensboro
1868	W. R. Ziegler	1893	40	November 6, 1935 Greensboro
1862	S. L. May	1880	52	August 8, 1936 Thomasville
1875	S. J. Hayden	1903	33	October 11, 1936 Seagrove
1877	Samuel H. Pdesley	1929	8	January 5, 1937 Shelby
1882	Frank S. Abernathy	1930	7	1937 Mooresville
1861	W. M. Chavis	1891	45	May 20, 1937 Kernersville
1860	S. F. B. Peace	1891	46	December 14, 1937 Greensboro
1860	W. B. Scales	1902	36	May 15, 1938 Madison
	M. M. Patrick			May 23, 1938 Greensboro
	P. J. Cook			July 28, 1938 Greensboro
1863	D. H. Kearse	1921	19	September, 1938 Winston-Salem
	P. F. Johnson	1898	39	December 27, 1938 Hickory
	H. O. Fredrick			1939
	A. B. McQueen	1898		1940
1853	G. W. Morehead	1868	55	1940 Greensboro
	R. T. Weatherby	1903	38	July 21, 1940 Greensboro
1872	E. I. Swann	1914	27	1941 Asheville
1882	Henry Jones	1829	13	1941 Elkin
	J. R. McNair			1942 Red Springs
1869	J. W. Simpson	1900	43	July 10, 1943 Greensboro
1852	Marcus Munday	1888	39	1944 Leaksville
1899	Coy N. Williams	1933	11	February, 1944 Winston-Salem
1872	R. D. Bethea	1893	43	September 25, 1944 New York
	C. D. Kirkland			Lincolnton
	W. M. Wells			February 12, 1946 Laurinburg
	Dorsey McRae			Maxton
	J. C. Rush	1920	25	Winston-Salem

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
	A. M. Robinson			1950
	B. E. Staten			1950
	W. O. Thomas			1950
	H. H. Houston			1951
	B. F. Thomas			1951
	E. M. Felder			1951
	A. E. Robinson			1952
	D. A. Hill			1953
	N. J. Pass			1953
	P. W. Webb			1953
	D. L. Thomas			December 7, 1953
	J. W. Hall			1954
	J. W. Lynch			February 3, 1954
	P. I. Wells			April 2, 1953
	R. J. Shipp			May 4, 1953
	S. B. Cornelius			1954
	R. B. Rhyne			1956
	J. L. Alford			1958
	Beverly Brown	1943	1957	
	T. H. Wooten	1931	1957	
	B. J. Stewart	1937	1958	
	R. W. Winchester	1901	1959	
	S. B. McBrayer	1936	1959	
	B. F. Gleaves	1924	1959	
	J. H. Ledwell	1932	1959	

Shelby

Raleigh

Oxford

High Point

Greensboro

Red Springs

Sanford

Reidsville

Charlotte

Reidsville

Greensboro

Shelby

Maxton

Greensboro

HISTORICAL VIEW

From the organization of Methodism in America, the work in North Carolina was continued in Virginia and afterwards in the Virginia and South Carolina Conference. In the year 1836, the General Conference set up in North Carolina. Its first session opened as a part of the Virginia Conference, but when it adjourned, there were two Conferences.

Facts from the first ninety sessions are gleaned from the General Minutes from the Conference Journal for those years, which is now in custody of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

At the Conference of December 4, 1844, there were 13,495 white members and 3,100 colored. Without consulting the wisdom of the latter, nearly the whole membership became a part of a new church, organized in May, 1846, and called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Some of the colored members entered the A.M.E. Church, some of the colored M.E. Church of America, but thousands turned gladly to the bosom of the old Methodist Episcopal Church as it returned to the State after the Civil War.

Between the years 1844, when the Church was separated over the slave question, and in 1865, when at the close of the War, the M.E. Church returned to shepherd its scattering flock in North Carolina, there was no session of the North Carolina Conference.

From the North Carolina Conference, the Blue Ridge was formed with twelve preachers, 2,839 members and probationers, and 41 church edifices.

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
1—February 8, 1837	Petersburg, Va.		J. H. Leigh		20030	
2—January 31, 1838	Greensboro	Morris	G. H. Leigh		20036	
3—January 26, 1839	Louisburg	Andrews	G. H. Leigh		20226	
4—January 29, 1840	New Bern	Morris	S. S. Bryant		25889	
5—December 20, 1840	Mocksville	Morris	S. S. Bryant		20597	
6—October 26, 1841	Raleigh		S. S. Bryant		22864	
7—October 26, 1842	Louisburg	Waugh	S. S. Bryant		28410	

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
8—October 25, 1843	Halifax	Soule	S. S. Bryant	17	21247	
9—December 4, 1844	Pittsburgh	Morris	Wm. G. Matton	17	4100	
10—January 14, 1868	Union Chapel	Ames				
11—January 6, 1869	High Point	JAMES				
12—January 20, 1871	Lincolnton	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	26	4500	69
13—December 28, 1872	Greensboro	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	8111	79
14—January 8, 1873	Charlotte	Ames	Wm. G. Matton	36	811	79
15—January 7, 1874	Lexington	Haven	Wm. G. Matton	37	8263	79
16—January 5, 1875	Greensboro	Wiley	Wm. G. Matton	25	9531	100
17—January 5, 1876	Winston	Foster	Wm. G. Matton	44	8582	97
18—January 10, 1877	Wilmington	Harris	Wm. G. Matton	44	9717	104
19—January 24, 1878	Lumberton	Scott		44	10171	106
20—January 30, 1879	Greensboro	Peck	E. O. Thayer	42	8520	112
21—February 4, 1880	High Point	Simpson	E. O. Thayer	46	8525	127
22—January 27, 1881	Raleigh	Warren	E. O. Thayer	30	9854	97
23—January 26, 1882	Laurinburg	Foster		34	1012	97
24—January 31, 1883	Winston	Merrill	W. F. Steele	37	7228	92
25—February 6, 1884	Greensboro	Bowman	W. F. Steele	37	7498	87
26—February 5, 1885	Lumberton	Andrews	W. F. Steele	37	7761	94
27—February 11, 1886	Charlotte	Nine	W. F. Steele	41	8167	96
28—October 14, 1886	Raleigh	Walden	W. F. Steele	43	8371	96
29—October 27, 1887	High Point	Mallalieu	W. F. Steele	44	8424	95
30—October 25, 1888	Lenoir	Fitzgerald	W. F. Steele	49	9664	100
31—October 25, 1889	Goldsboro	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	52	8948	115
32—October 23, 1890	Maxton	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	54	8034	
33—October 15, 1891	Winston	Warren	C. N. Grandison	60		
34—October 20, 1892	Reidsville	Foss	C. N. Grandison	63	8200	116
35—October 19, 1893	Lexington	Hurst	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
36—October 4, 1894	Oxford	Mallalieu	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
37—October 16, 1895	Greensboro	Mallalieu	J. J. Morris	70	9612	124
38—September 17, 1896	Charlotte	Andrews	R. W. S. Thomas	78	8884	133

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
71—October 23-27, 1929	Hickory	Smith, H. Lester	G. Haven Caldwell	8813807	161	161
72—November 5-9, 1930	Winston-Salem	Mead, Chas. L.	G. Haven Caldwell	8913757	161	161
73—November 25-29, 1931	High Point	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	9213614	167	167
74—October 27-30, 1932	Reidsville	Smith, H. Lester	W. E. Hairston	9113614	156	156
75—Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1933	Maxton	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	9013310	158	158
76—October 24-28, 1934	Lenoir	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	8913220	163	163
77—October 22-27, 1935	Greensboro	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	8313474	164	164
78—October 22-25, 1936	Hamlet	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	8013470	164	164
79—October 27-31, 1937	Thomasville	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	7813473	164	164
80—October 26-30, 1938	Hickory	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	7712400	164	164
81—October 25-29, 1939	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	J. E. Brower	7713662	164	164
82—November 6-10, 1940	Laurinburg	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	7313076	104	104
83—October 21-26, 1941	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	7511876	164	164
84—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1942	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	7512706	164	164
85—October 27-31, 1943	Charlotte	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	7212990	164	164
86—October 25-29, 1944	Lenoir	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	8513088	178	178
87—Oct. 30-Nov. 4, 1945	Lumberton	Brooks, R. N.	J. E. Brower	8212573	159	159
88—Oct. 29-Nov. 3, 1946	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wooten	8513783	159	159
89—Oct. 28-Nov. 2, 1947	Reidsville	Shaw, A. P.	M. McCallum	8912424	159	159
90—November 3-7, 1948	Hickory	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wooten	8913232	159	159
91—November 3-6, 1949	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney	70	—	—
92—November 2-5, 1950	Hamlet	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney	75	—	—
93—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1951	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	C. R. Crawford	75	—	—
94—June 4-8, 1952	Greensboro	Shaw, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	70	—	—
95—June 3-7, 1953	Lenoir	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	6714834	—	—
96—June 2-6, 1954	Asheville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	7014877	87	87
97—June 15-19, 1955	Laurinburg	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	79	87	87
98—May 29-June 3, 1956	Raleigh	Bowen, J. W. E.	W. R. Crawford	7613912	86	86
99—June 4-June 9, 1957	Winston-Salem	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	6814975	86	86
100—June 10-15, 1958	Greensboro	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	—	—	—
101—June 4-7, 1959	Fayetteville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	—	—	—

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers		In Class	Edifices
39—October 7, 1897	Laurinburg	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133	
40—October 13, 1898	Lenoir	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	77	1940	133	
41—October 12, 1899	Winston	Fowler	R. E. Jones	73	9525	133	
42—October 11, 1900	Reidsville	Foss	R. E. Jones	76	10579	133	
43—October 17, 1901	High Point	Goodsell	R. E. Jones	78	10597	133	
44—October 16, 1902	Mount Airy	Walden	R. E. Jones	80	19579	133	
45—October 14, 1903	Greensboro	Joyce	S. A. Peeler	88	11100	152	
46—October 13, 1904	Hickory	Fitzgerald	S. A. Peeler	76	9773	166	
47—October 12, 1905	Maxton	Cranston	S. A. Peeler	76	11894		
48—October 11, 1906	Asheville	Burt	S. A. Peeler	79	10222	172	
49—October 17, 1907	Winston	Spellmeyer	S. A. Peeler	81	10547	172	
50—October 15, 1908	Charlotte	Bristol	S. A. Peeler	76	11063	172	
51—October 14, 1909	High Point	Moore	S. A. Peeler	78	10984	179	
52—October 6, 1910	Leaksville	Neely	S. A. Peeler	84	11400	162	
53—October 12, 1911	Greensboro	Anderson	S. A. Peeler	79	12278	169	
54—October 20, 1912	Lenoir	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	85	12700	171	
55—November 20-23, 1913	Maxton	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	86	13225	173	
56—November 26-30, 1914	Thomasville	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	84	14555	151	
57—December 1-4, 1915	Winston	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	91	13921	172	
58—November 14-19, 1916	West Raleigh	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13762	195	
59—November 14-18, 1917	Hickory	Hughes, E. H.	R. N. Brooks	88	14170	143	
60—November 3-17, 1918	Charlotte	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143	
61—November 12-16, 1919	High Point	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143	
62—November 11-14, 1920	Winston	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13206	195	
63—November 8-12, 1922	Reidsville	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	12557	195	
65—November 7-12, 1923	Laurinburg	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	96	12000	195	
66—Oct. 20-Nov. 2, 1924	Lexington	Bristol, Frank M.	J. A. Baxter	97	14537	218	
67—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1925	Marion	Thirkield, W. P.	J. A. Baxter	97	13261	254	
68—October 27-31, 1926	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	S. A. Peeler	97	13138	149	
69—October 26-30, 1927	Madison	Thirkield, W. P.	S. A. Peeler	95	11796	161	
70—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1928	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	98	13762	179	

EXPOSITIVE COMMENT ON THE HISTORICAL VIEW

Apart from this historical view, no effort is made to give the exact number of years of existence of the North Carolina Conference. This statement appearing in our Conference Journal from the period when the first available journals were published until now, furnishes basis. No successful effort has been made to doubt or disregard this record.

The early journals stated clearly a division (namely Organization) in 1837-44, and reorganization in 1868-1958.

We do not claim a continuous operation of an organized North Carolina Conference as such. As indicated in the record, this Conference was a part of a Virginia, South Carolina, North Carolina organization, beginning in 1836. From this organization of a Conference in three states, the North Carolina Conference, as we know it now, evolved. What happened between the years 1844—when the ninth Conference is held—and 1868—when the tenth Conference convened, is a matter of uncertain history. Leaving out the happenings of those years of uncertainty, we feel that the years that remain are of sufficient historic interest to validate an established organization, giving us more than one hundred years of operation and fully one hundred sessions of the North Carolina Conference.

The years between 1844 and 1868 are years when the question of slavery was paramount—years when the Civil strife between the states was rife—years when Methodism, influenced by the times, was battling for solid footing—years when the Methodist Church separated into two camps: The Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South. During that period the Negro membership in the Church scattered. Many of them joined other denominations. But when the smoke of battle which had befogged an orderly existence of operation was cleared after 1865, the Methodist Episcopal Church took up its responsibility for its Negro members and reorganized them into the North Carolina Conference. Continuing the first nine years of existence and working on down until this date June 10-15, 1958, when the one hundredth session is being held.

—Taken From The Brochure
100th session of The North Carolina
Conference.—June 10-15, 1958.

THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE RULES OF ORDER

1. The Conference shall meet at 9:00 a.m. and open with devotional exercises, and close at 12:30 p.m.
2. The Memorial Services shall be held the first morning of the Conference immediately following the Communion Service and shall include the calling of the roll of the honored dead.
3. The nominating committee consisting of five persons shall be appointed by the Bishop quadrennially.
4. No person shall be a member, concurrently, of more than two standing committees or commissions (except as provided for by the Discipline).
5. The Conference fiscal year shall end 20 days before the first day of the Annual Conference.
6. The pastors' reports shall be in the hands of the treasurer and statistician 15 days before the opening day of the Annual Conference.
7. The reports of all major commissions and committees shall be mimeographed and passed out at the seat of the Conference on or before the day the report is read.

8. The roll of Conference lay members shall be called at the opening day of the Conference.

9. The Treasurer's report shall be mimeographed and passed out at the meeting of the Conference.

10. The minutes of the Annual Conference shall be printed and distributed within 90 days after adjournment of the Conference.

11. All recommendations and memorials shall be presented to the Conference in duplicate form.

12. All motions from the floor shall be in writing when requested by the secretary of the Conference.

13. The program for the Annual Conference shall be arranged by a committee composed of the host pastor, the host district superintendent, the Conference lay leader, and two persons a large named by the nominating committee, in consultation with the Bishop.

14. When a member wishes to speak he must arise and address the chair and shall not proceed until he is properly recognized by the presiding officer.

15. No member shall speak on any question more than once until all who wish to do so have spoken, nor shall a member speak more than ten minutes except by permission of the Conference.

16. Motions made and seconded, reports made and accepted are to be deemed the property of the Conference and cannot be withdrawn without the consent of the Conference.

17. All motions to lay on the table, to take from the table, shall be taken without debate, but the one who offers a formal motion or resolution shall have five minutes to close debates and this right shall not be forfeited by a motion ordering the previous question or to lay on the table.

18. All questions of privilege shall be decided by the president.

19. No member of the Conference shall be recognized who is outside the boundary of the Conference.

20. The following motions may take precedence of the original motion or precedence of each other in the order given here: (a) to adjourn to a given time; (b) to adjourn indefinitely; (c) to take up the order of the day; (d) to lay on the table; (e) to move up the order of the day; (f) to postpone to a given time; (g) to refer to a committee; (h) to amend; (i) to postpone indefinitely.

21. Any person voting with the majority may move a reconsideration, but such motion shall not be debatable.

22. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

23. These rules may be suspended by a two-third vote of the Conference.

24. These rules may be amended at any regular session of the Conference by a two-third vote, provided such amendments be presented in writing at least one day before action is taken.

Respectfully submitted:

COMMITTEE ON RULES,
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

(Made at the Conference 1956)

Raleigh, N. C.

CONSTITUTION

BOARD OF MANAGERS—BALTIMORE AREA PASTOR'S SCHOOL THE METHODIST CHURCH

Herewith is transmitted the Constitution of the Board of Managers Baltimore Area Pastor's School—The Methodist Church, and adopted by the Board of Managers in session at Baltimore, Maryland, September 11, 1957.

C. Anderson Davis, Chairman
Constitution Committee

Bishop Edgar A. Love
Resident Bishop
Henry H. Nichols, Pres.
Board of Managers

ARTICLE I. NAME AND PURPOSE

Section 1. **Name**—The name of this Board shall be the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Area Pastor's School—The Methodist Church.

Section 2. **Purpose**—The purpose shall be to provide counsel, make plans, elect a dean and other officers, staff members and teachers (nominated by the Dean), set us a budget, approve recommendations and reports, set the time and place of the Pastor's School and to transact any other business pertaining to the school.

ARTICLE II. BOARD MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Board shall consist of: The Resident Bishop, and three members from each of the Annual Conferences of the Area. Two of the three conference representatives shall be nominated by the Conference Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications and elected by the Conference, the third representative shall be the Executive Secretary of Christian Education. They shall be elected at the first session of the quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said quadrennium. They shall take office at the first meeting of the Board, called by the Resident Bishop, after each of the Annual Conferences shall have met.

ARTICLE III. OFFICERS AND DUTIES

Section 1. **Officers**—The Officers shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, an Assistant Secretary and a Treasurer. Each conference shall be represented in, at least, one office. They shall be elected quadrennially from the membership of the Board at the First Annual meeting of the new quadrennium, by a majority of the members of the Board, after being nominated by the Nominating Committee or from the floor.

Section 2. **President**—The President shall preside at meetings of the Board, counter sign all checks drawn on the treasury, represent the Board when necessary and perform other duties normally performed by a president.

Section 3. **Vice President**—The Vice President shall preside and act in the absence of the President and assist the President when needed.

Section 4. **Secretary**—The Secretary shall record the minutes, send out notices of all meetings and keep the president and members informed of any matters germane to the Board or Pastor's School.

Section 5. **Assistant Secretary**—The Assistant Secretary shall perform the duties of the Secretary in his absence and shall assist the Secretary when necessary.

Section 6. Treasurer—The Treasurer shall have charge of all monies of the Board, deposit the same in an account known as "The Baltimore Pastor's School," and shall write and sign all checks. He shall disburse funds only upon written order signed by the Secretary with the exception of bills pertaining to the expense of the School Session, in such cases, the Dean shall sign the order and report the same to the Secretary.

ARTICLE IV. MEETINGS

Section 1. Time—The Board shall meet annually on the first Tuesday in October. The place and hour to be determined by the President in consultation with the Resident Bishop. This date may be altered by the Executive Committee provided it shall be held in the Fall of the year. Special meetings may be called by the President or by a majority of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. Quorum—Seven members shall constitute a quorum for transacting business not otherwise specified, provided, at least, one member from three conferences of the Baltimore Area is present.

ARTICLE V. COMMITTEES

Section 1. Committees—There shall be the following committees representative of each of the Annual Conferences and consisting of not less than four persons: Executive Committee, Nominating Committee and Recommendations Committee.

Meetings of committees shall be regulated by the Board of Managers, and time and place of meetings shall be subject to the call of the Chairman.

Section 2. Executive—The Executive Committee shall be composed of the elected officers and the Resident Bishop. The President and Secretary of the Board shall be the chairman and Secretary of this Committee. It shall act for the Board between meetings in matters that are necessary to be acted upon before the next Board meeting and report its action to the next Board Meeting. It shall constitute the Finance Committee and recommend a budget to the Board after consultation with the Dean. It shall have the financial records audited by a certified Public Accountant.

Section 3. Nominating—The Nominating Committee shall nominate the officers of the Board of Managers, the Business Manager, the Dean and other Administrative Officers provided that others may be nominated from the floor. It shall be composed of one person from each Conference elected by the Board and shall elect its own chairman.

Section 4. Recommendations—The Recommendations Committee shall examine all reports; receive recommendations from members of the Board, Officers of the School, the Department of Ministerial Education and other sources; counsel with the Dean and others; and shall make any recommendations, as a result of the above procedure or otherwise, to the Board of Directors. The Vice President shall be chairman of this committee.

ARTICLE VI. PASTOR'S SCHOOL

Section 1. Sessions—The time and place of the school sessions shall be set by the Board of Managers.

Section 2. Courses—Courses for the school shall be selected by the Dean according to the procedure and rules of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 3. Dean—The Dean shall be elected at the first meeting of the New Quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said Quadrennium, or until his successor is elected. He shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected by the incoming Board of Managers by a majority

of its members. He shall be responsible for the administration of the school in keeping with the rules and recommendations of the Board of Managers and the Department of Ministerial Education. He shall submit a written report, by mail, of the school to the Recommendations Committee following the school session; and a written report in person at the next Board Meeting; at the same time he shall submit nominations for the faculty of the coming school session.

Section 4. **The Faculty** shall be nominated by the Dean after consultation with the Resident Bishop and the Director of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 5. **Business Manager**—The Business Manager shall be elected quadrennially at the First Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers by a majority of its members. He shall be responsible for the business proceedings of the school in cooperation with the Dean.

ARTICLE VII. PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order shall govern the Board meetings in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution of the Board.

ARTICLE VIII. METHOD OF AMENDING

This Constitution may be amended in the following manner:

A proposed amendment shall be submitted in writing to the Secretary, at least, sixty days before the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers. The Secretary shall send the same through mail, to all of the members of the Board. The proposed amendment shall be submitted by the Secretary to the Board in session and shall require a three-fourths vote of the membership present and voting, for adoption.

Any part of this Constitution in conflict with the Discipline of the Methodist Church or the rules of the Department of Ministerial Education shall be amended after the Board of Managers reviews the same.



RECORD OF SERVICE IN THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

ALFORD, J. L.

1956 Leaksville
1957 .. Newton and Granite Falls
1958 East Thomasville

ARMSTRONG, CLINTON C.

1951-59 ... Greensboro; Browning
Chapel Instructor:
Bennett College
1956 Statesville Ct.

ASHFORD, JAMES DAVID

1950 Upper Mississippi Conf.
1950 Ripley Ct.
1951 West Point
1952 Ackerman
1953 In School
1956 Trans. to N. C. Conf. 6-2-56
1956 Leaksville
1957 Newton-Granite Falls
1958 E. Thomasville

BAILEY, CHARLES W., SR.

1946-54 Wilkesboro; Boone
1956 Statesville Ct.

BETHEA, JOSEPH BENJAMIN

1952 In School
1953 Walhalla
1954 Ninety-Six
1956 Rec'd in N. C. Conf.
1956 Elkin-Jonesville

BLACK, EUGENE

1943 Brown Summit
1949 Basses; Raleigh
1959 South Greensboro

BLANTON, JOHN JULIUS

1911 Newton
1913 Machpelah
1914 Machpelah; Stanley
1915 Walnut Cove
1919 Wilkesboro
1920 Elkin; Jonesville
1925 Lowesville
1926 Lowesville; Ebenezer
1928 Retired
Died 3-20-49

BRIDGES, RAMSAY MAY

1942 Washington;
Asbury (Asst.)
1943 Cumberland; Frostburg
1946 Hickory
1949 Simpson (Charlotte)
1950 Transferred; N. Y. Conf.

BROOKS, GLENN ALBERT

1945 Marion
1947 Statesville
1949 Asheboro
1953 Lexington; Midway

BROWER, JOHN E.

1922 South High Point
1925 Reidsville
1929 Laurinburg Cool Springs
1930 Supt. Winston District
1936 Asheville
1940 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1945 Supt. Greensboro District
1951 Greensboro; St. Matthews

BROWN, BEVERLY

1943 Bomore; Mt. Zion
1944 Statesville; Scott's Chlx.
1946 Newport News;
Pleasant Ridge
1950 Forest City
1951 Reidsville
Died 9-1-57

BROWN, LEANDER A.

1929 In School
1931 Pen Hook
1933 High Point;
Brooks Memorial
1934 Lexington
1938 Lenoir
1940 .. Asheville; Berry Temple
1957 Supt. Winston District

BROWN, WILLIAM T.

1943 Kingston
1944 Marumsc; Kingston
1946 Maxton; Piney Grove
1948 Raleigh
1951 Fayetteville
1954 Greensboro; Union Mem.
1957 .. Supt. Greensboro District

BURGE, BENJAMIN

1912 Lincolnton Ct.
1914 King's Mt.; Lincolnton
1915 Lenoir Ct.
1916 Denver; Ebenezer
1918 Ebenezer; Cornelius
1919 W. Asheville; Waynesville
1921 Bessemer City
1926 Lawndale; Brooks
1929 Newton; Conover
1932 Lenoir
1936 Marion
1940 Statesville; Philadelphia
1942 Statesville Ct.
1944 Newton Ct.
1957 Retired
1957 Mt. Holly

BURWICK, OSCAR W.

1939	Lenoir City
1940	Forest City
1941	Forest City; Shelby
1942	Boulware Chapel
1943	Johns; Beaver Dam
1944	Gastonia; Epworth Cherryville
1948	Maxton
1949	Hickory
1952	Maxton
1953	Asheboro
1958	Raleigh

BYERS, GEORGE W.

1887	Cleveland
1888	Goldborough
1890	Piney Grove; John Station
1892	Rowland; Salem
1896	Maxton
1897	Hamlet; Southern Pines
1899	Hamlet
1900	Lumberton
1901	Melrose; Hickory Bend
1906	Shelby; Falston
1907	Red Springs; Beaumont
1908	Red Springs; Hickory Bend
1910	Summerfield
1912	Greensboro; Northwest
1916	Greensboro; South
1924	Bolar
1925	Withers Chapel; Paine
1926	Wilkesboro
1928	Retired
Died 6-8-45	

BYNUM, CHARLES G.

1926	Empire
1928	Newton; Conover
1930	Zion Hill; Hazes
1932	Old Fort; Gladees
1933	Greensboro; Southeast
1934	Greensboro; Extension
1938	Walkertown Chester Gv.
1939	Mt. Holly Ct.
1940	Johns; Beaver Dam
1941	Advance; Oak Grove
1945	Rural Hall; Pilot Mt.
1947	Randleman; St. Peters; Mt. Zion
1950	Lincolnton
1953	Mt. Airy
1956	Penhook Ct.
1957	Cox Chapel; Shady Grove

CALDWELL, FRED D.

1920	Boonesville; Rocky Mt.
1921	Bones Mill
1922	Advance
1923	Kernersville
1924	Kernersville

1926	In School
1927	Walkertown
1928	Ramseur
1929	Rowland; Salem
1930	Asheboro; Mitchell
1935	High Point; Brooks Mem.
1936	Maxton; Piney Grove
1938	Thomasville; St. John; Midway
1948	Supt. Laurinburg District
1954	Mt. Carmel; Warren St.; Greensboro

CALDWELL, GILBERT HAVEN

1908	North Greensboro
1909	In School
1910	Liberty; Glenola
1911	West Asheville
1913	Statesville; Philadelphia
1914	West Raleigh
1917	In School
1918	Y.M.C.A. Army Work
1919	Bennett College (Prof.)
1921	Bennett College (Dean)
1923	Samuel Houston College (Prof.)
1925	Asheville
1930	Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1931	Supt. Western District
1937	Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1941	Conf. Youth Counselor
1944	Dallas, Texas; St. Paul
1948	Conf. Secretary Evang.
1949	Wesley Tab.; Galveston
1951	Faculty; Sam Houston College
1952	Prof.; Claflin College
1954	Ramseur; Laughlins
1957	Reidsville

COLE, WHYTT P.

1956	Mt. Airy-Pilot Mt.
1957	Trinity Ct.

CAMERON, WALTER J.

1932	Ramseur
1934	Greensboro; High St.
1936	Lumberton; Pembroke
1941	Raleigh
1947	Conf. Executive Secretary
1949	Supt. Western District
1955	Thomasville; St. John

CAMPT, LOWELL MASON

1945	Penhook; Boon's Mill
Died 8-8-49	

CORRY, JOHN G.

1955	Upper Mississippi Conf.
1956	Trans. To N. C. Conf. Received in N. C. Conf. 6-2-56
1956	In School Gammon Seminary
1957	Leaksville

CORNELIUS, SANDY B.

1896	Franklin
1897	Boone
1899	Waynesville; Beaver Dam
1900	Waynesville
1901	Franklin
1902	Hendersonville
1903	Supernumerary
1904	Located-Own request
1906	Readmitted; Old Fort
1907	Black Mountain
1916	Supernumerary
1924	Retired
1925	Supernumerary
1929	Retired

CRAWFORD, WILLIAM R.

1943	In School
1947	Winston-Salem Mt. Pleasant

DAVIS, H. A.

1923	Randleman
1924	Trinity
1925	John Station
1927	Johns-Beaver Dam
1928	Kernersville
1929	Ramseur
1931	Brown Summit
1935	Brown Summit-Caswell
1936	Trinity; Glenola
1938	Pen Hook
1941	West Asheville
1943	Wilkesboro Ct.
1944	Kings Mountain
1945	Mt. Holly
1947	Empire
1952	Mt. Zion; Greensboro

DULA, JOHN Q.

1936	Pen Hook
1938	Randleman
1940	Empire Circuit
1944	Forest City
1948	Elkin; Jonesville
1956	Shelby Ct.
1957	Mooreville Ct.

FERREE, JAMES W.

1949	Statesville; Philadelphia
1955	Maxton; Beauty Spot
1956	Maxton; Beauty Spot
1957	Lumberton; Beauty Spot

FINK, HENRY H.

1812	Monroe; Bethel
1913	Catawba; Ht. Morn
1918	Retired
Died 2-9-20	

FRAZIER, THOMAS C.

1906	South Greenville
1909	Belton

1911	Greenwood
1912	Chesnee
1914	Wilkinsville
1914	Townsville; Bullock
1916	Lawndale; Flat Rock
1918	Bessemer City; Kings Mt.
1919	Bessemer City; Galilee
1921	Winston; Mayes Chapel
1924	Forest City
1926	Trans. to East Tennessee
1927	Chattanooga; Staley
1928	North Carolina; Phila.
1929	Advance
1930	Marion
1933	Statesville; Philadelphia
1937	Catawba Ct.
1938	Lexington
1939	Brown Summit; Caswell
1940	Basses; Browning
1941	Kernersville Ct.
1942	Wilkesboro Ct.
1943	Mt. Holly Ct.
1944	Mt. Holly; Rock Grove
1945	Retired
Died 1958	

FRIEND, IRA A.

1935	Walnut Cove; Rockhill
1936	Jones; Salem
1938	Lowesville; Tuckers
1940	Mooreville Ct.
1949	Mt. Airy; Jones Temple; Pilot Mt.
1950	Wesleys Chapel; Chapel Hill
1955	Red Springs
1957	Forest City
1958	Mt. Zion and Philadelphia
1959	Advance

FROST, EVANGELIST

1943	Trinity; Glenola
1945	Trinity Ct.
1946	Thomasville; Trinity; Glenola
1947	Trinity Ct.
1955	Retired

GAMBLE, JAMES WILLIAM

1930	South Carolina Conf.
1930	Pendleton Charge
1932	No Record
1942	Joined N. C. Conf.
1943	Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1946	Kings Mountain
1949	Catawba Larger Parish
1950	Supernumerary

GANNAWAY, HERBERT C.

1926	In School
1927	Newport News
1928	Gastonia

1932 _____ Rowland; Salem
 1933 _____ Madison
 1935 _____ Leaksville
 1938 _____ Maxton
 1940 _____ Maxton; Piney Grove
 Died 7-7-45

GARRETT, JAMES HENRY

1903 _____ Jackson
 1907 _____ Danville; Spray
 1909 _____ Jackson
 1914 _____ Jackson; Rankin
 1916 _____ Wentworth; Settles
 1922 _____ Caswell
 1925 _____ Retired
 Died 2-9-35

GIDNEY, CALVIN LEROY

1926 _____ Charlotte Mission
 1927 _____ Rowland; Salem
 1928 _____ Rockingham Ct.
 1930 _____ Mount Airy
 1932 _____ Winston-Salem;
 Mt. Pleasant
 1933 _____ Newton; Conover
 1934 _____ Sherrills Ford
 1938 _____ Mooresville
 1940 _____ Lowesville Ct.
 1941 _____ Gastonia; Cherryville
 1942 _____ Gastonia Ct.
 1944 _____ Lexington
 1952 _____ Lexington; Raleigh
 1953 _____ Raleigh
 1958 Forest City

GLEAVES, BENJAMIN F.

1924 _____ Wilmington
 1926 _____ Ramseur
 1928 _____ Cherryville; Bethel
 1929 _____ Shelby
 1930 _____ Cherryville
 1932 _____ Kings Mountain
 1940 _____ Rowland; Salem
 1942 _____ Philadelphia; New Zion;
 Pembroke
 1944 _____ Hoffman; Pembroke
 1946 _____ Wilmington; Bolton;
 Pembroke
 1947 _____ Bolton
 1949 _____ Bolton; Pembroke;
 Mt. Zion
 1954 _____ New Zion; Mt. Zion
 1958 Retired
 Died 1958

GRAHAM, OSCAR M.

1944 _____ Bolton
 1945 _____ In School
 1948 _____ Forest City
 1949 _____ Gastonia
 1950 _____ Chaplain—U. S. Army
 1955 _____ Goldsboro
 1958 Bolton
 1959 Maxton

GWYNN, JAMES W.

1948 _____ In School
 1951 _____ Ramseur
 1953 _____ Oxford
 1957 Winston-Salem, St. Andrews
 and Walnut Cove

HAIRSTON, W. E.

1917 _____ Empire
 1918 _____ Newport News
 1919 _____ Rowland; Salem
 1921 _____ Leaksville
 1926 _____ South High Point
 1938 _____ High Point; Brooks Mem.
 1929 _____ Lumberton
 1936 _____ Hickory
 1939 _____ Leave of Absence
 1940 _____ Brown Summit Ct.
 1941 _____ Asheboro; Mitchell
 1946 _____ Greensboro; High St.
 1954 _____ Sabbatical Leave
 1955 _____ Wesley and Chapel Hill
 1959 Wesley

HALL, J. W.

1926 _____ Oxford
 1929 _____ Oxford; Township
 Died 1953

HARKNESS, DAVID S.

1935 _____ Loews; Spring Hill
 Johnson
 1936 _____ In School
 1939 _____ Kelleyton Ct.
 1940 _____ Center Grove Ct.
 1942 _____ Spring Hill
 1942 _____ Waynesboro
 1943 _____ Macon
 1945 _____ Chaplain, U. S. Army
 1948 _____ Gastonia
 1949 _____ Kings Mountain
 1950 _____ Ramseur
 1951 _____ Chaplain, U. S. Army
 1952 _____ Red Springs
 1953 _____ Maxton
 1955 _____ Marion

HILL, DOCK A.

1930 _____ Star
 1931 _____ Liberty Grove
 1933 _____ Trinity; Glenola
 1936 _____ Brown Summit
 1938 _____ Advance; Oak Grove
 1939 _____ Retired
 1940 _____ Greensboro
 1942 _____ Kernersville Ct.
 1944 _____ Empire
 1947 _____ Lincolnton Ct.
 1949 _____ West Asheville
 Died ?

HOGUE, GEORGE E.

1929 _____ Lenoir Ct.
 1930 _____ Pen Hook

1931 _____ Franklin
 1934 _____ Johns; Beaver Dam
 1935 _____ John's; Salem
 1936 _____ Red Springs; St. Mark's;
 Hickory Bend
 1942 _____ Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
 1943 _____ Supt. Western District
 1949 _____ Ex. Sec. Conf. Bd. of Edu.
 1951 _____ Laurinburg

HOUSTON, HOLTON HENRY

1935 _____ Hunters
 1936 _____ Bessemer City
 1940 _____ Lenoir Circuit
 1943 _____ Lenoir
 1946 _____ Lenoir
 Died ?

HOWARD, CHARLES E.

1919 _____ Madison
 1920 _____ Winston; Reynolda;
 Boston Cottage
 1923 _____ Wilkesboro
 1925 _____ Supernumerary
 1926 _____ Mocksville
 1927 _____ Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
 1928 _____ Retired

ISHAM, JOHN H.

1919 _____ Newport News
 1920 _____ Madison; Stoneville
 1921 _____ Forest City
 1924 _____ Oxford; Bullocks
 1926 _____ Rockingham; Philadelphia
 Died 9-21-27

JENKINS, P. W.

1938 _____ In School
 1939 _____ Thomasville
 1941 _____ Chaplain, U. S. Army

JOHNSON, PETER F.

1898 _____ Marion
 1899 _____ Standley; Mt. Holly
 1901 _____ Monroe
 1902 _____ Patterson
 1903 _____ Newton
 1904 _____ Winston Ct.
 1905 _____ Advance; St. James
 1907 _____ Salisbury
 1909 _____ Jonesville
 1912 _____ Sherrill's Ford
 1916 _____ Marion; Addies Chapel
 1918 _____ Lenoir
 1919 _____ Newton; Conover
 1920 _____ Lawndale; Flat Rock
 1922 _____ Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
 1924 _____ Mooresville; Mayhew
 1926 _____ Old Fort
 1927 _____ Greensboro; East
 1928 _____ Asheboro
 1930 _____ Rowland; Salem
 1931 _____ Catawba

1932 _____ Wilkesboro
 1933 _____ Bessemer City; Cherryville
 Bethel
 1934 _____ Bessemer; Galilee
 1935 _____ Lenoir Ct.
 1937 _____ West Asheville
 1938 _____ Retired
 Died 1938

JONES, HENRY

1927 _____ Rural Hall
 Died 5-27-41

JONES, JOHN W.

1916 _____ Kernersville
 1920 _____ Madison Ct.
 1922 _____ McPelah; St. James
 1923 _____ McPelah; Stanley
 1924 _____ Boone
 1925 _____ Retired
 Died December, 1930

JONES, JOHN WESLEY

1943 _____ Rural Hall; Pilot Mtn.
 1945 _____ Thomasville
 1948 _____ Hoover's Chapel;
 Andrew's Grove
 1949 _____ Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's
 and Chestnut Grove
 1954 _____ East Thomasville
 1958 _____ Asheboro and St. Mark

JONES, JAMES T.

1950 _____ Browning Chapel
 1951 _____ Gastonia; Epworth
 1957 _____ Gastonia and Bessemer City
 1958 _____ Gastonia

JONES, M. M.

1891 _____ Asheville
 1894 _____ Maxton; Piney Grove
 1895 _____ Reidsville
 1896 _____ Greensboro
 1898 _____ Laurinburg
 1900 _____ Supt. Western District
 1906 _____ Supt. Raleigh District
 1909 _____ Supt. Winston District
 1912 _____ Charlotte
 1915 _____ Lexington; Thomasville
 1917 _____ Red Springs; Hickory Bend
 1918 _____ Red Springs; Bowmore
 1920 _____ Supt. Wilmington District
 Died 3-9-25

KIRKLAND, GEORGE DAVID

1942 _____ Catawba Ct.
 Died 11-27-45

KEARSE, DAVID H.

1898 _____ Reidsville, S. C.
 1899 _____ Yorkville
 1901 _____ Cowpens
 1913 _____ Seneca

1914	Supernumerary
1915	Withdrew
1921	Durham; Creedmore
1922	Lawndale; Brooks
1925	Shelby Ct.
1926	Bessemer City
1928	Lincolnton; Mt. Holly; Stanley
1930	Rockingham; So. Pines
1931	Rockingham; Philadelphia
1932	Pembroke Ct.
1933	Retired
Died 1938	

LAUGHLIN, JAMES A.

1898.....Statesville; Philadelphia
1902.....Central Randolph
1905.....West Greensboro
1910.....Greensboro; High St.;
Bass
1914 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1918.....Supt. Western District
1923.....Guilford
1925.....Retired
Died 11-19-25

LAUGHLIN, MARCUS C.

1908 _____ East Greensboro
1919 _____ Lenoir
1924 _____ Newton; Conover
1925 _____ East Thomasville
1932 _____ Midway; Chestnut Grove
Died 7-17-33

LAUGHLIN, M. SAMUEL

1933	Pen Hook
1936	Ramseur
1940	Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1941	Marion; Old Fort
1942	Marion Ct.
1944	Marion; Addie Chapel
1945	Madison; Stoneville
1947	Winston-Salem
	St. Andrews
1953	St. Home; Winston-Salem
1955	Statesville
1956	Wilkesboro Ct.
1958	Lowesville

LEDWELL, JAMES H.

1932	Caswell
1934	Kernersville
1935	Kernersville
1938	Bass Chapel
1940	Kernersville Ct.
1941	Wesley; Chapel Hill
1950	Retired
Died 1958	

LOMAX, WALTER T.

1903 _____ Greensboro; High St.
1905 _____ Central Randolph
1910 _____ Reidsville Ct.
1912 _____ Greensboro; South

1916	Greensboro; Northwest
1924	Hickory
1929	Reidsville
1933	High Point; St. Mark's
1935	Supt. Greensboro District
1941	Basses; Raleigh's Crossroads
1949	Retired
1950	Brown Summit Charge
1953	Kernersville

LYNCH, JAMES WATKINS

1946 _____ Asheboro
1949 _____ Kernersville
1951 _____ Supernumerary
Died 1956

MATTISON, ERNEST N.

1937	Mt. Holly; Stanley
1939	Newton Conover
1940	Mt. Holly Circuit
1943	Chaplain U. S. Army
1947	In School
1949	Fayetteville
1951	Chaplain U. S. Army
1954	Forest City
1957	Washington Conference

MAYFIELD, LAMON

1936 _____ Randleman
1938 _____ Guilford; Kernersville
1939 _____ Greensboro; High St.
1940 _____ Ramseur; Marion
1941 _____ High Point; Brooks Mem.
1951 _____ Supt. Winston District
1957 _____ Winston-Salem; St. Paul

MILLS, JOHN S.

1956	.....	Wilmington
	Trans. from A. M. E. Zion	
1957	.....	Maxton
1959	.....	Chaplin U. S. Army

McBRAYER, SUMMIE B.

1936 Bessemer; Galilee
1938 Sherrils Ford; Lincolnton
1940 Catawba Ct.
1942 Newton Ct.
1944 Shelby; Philadelphia;
Durham Chapel
1945 Mt. Airy
1949 Rowland; Salem
1953 Red Springs
1955 Mooresboro; Philadelphia
Died 1959

McCALLUM, F. FELTON

1937	Tazewell
1938	S. Pittsburg
1939	Chattanooga; Grace
1941	Glade Springs Ct.
1942	Winchester
1943	Steubenville
1945	Maysville
1946	Evansville; Rockport

1948.....Detroit; Mitchell Mem.
 1949.....Owensboro
 1950.....New Zion
 1952.....New London; Sec. Meth.
 1953.....Newport News
 1954.....Sanford Ct.
 1955.....Kings Mountain
 1957.....Red Springs
 1959.....Chapel Hill

McCALLUM, JAMES ENOCH

1947.....In School
 1950.....Newport News;
 Pleasant Ridge
 1951.....Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
 1955.....Durham
 and Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
 1956.....Chaplain, Wiley College

McCALLUM, JAMES H.

1942.....Hoffman Ct.
 1944.....Bomore; Mt. Zion
 1948.....Bomore; Piney Grove
 1949.....Laurinburg; Cool Springs
 1951.....Maxton
 1953.....Cool Springs; Hoffman
 1956.....Johns St.-Piney Grove

McCALLUM, MARSHALL

1921.....Greensboro; Northeast
 1924.....In School
 1927.....Shelby; King's Mtn.
 1928.....Boston Univer. and Asst.
 Pastor, Fourth St. Methodist
 Church, Boston, Mass.
 1929.....Newport News
 1930.....Clafin College
 1934.....Orangeburg; Trinity Ch.
 1938.....Columbia; Wesley Church
 Prof. at Allen Univ.
 1945.....Lenoir
 1948.....Reidsville; Mt. Zion
 1951.....Hamlet
 1957.....Asheville

McCALLUM, ROBERT FRANK

1927.....Elkin
 1930.....Greensboro; South
 1933.....Leaksville
 1935.....Winston-Salem;
 St. Andrews
 1942.....Supt. Winston District
 1945.....Supt. Laurinburg District
 1948.....St. John; Midway
 1955.....St. Home; Winston
 1959.....Mt. Tabor

McDONALD, SAMUEL

1907.....Lumberton
 1909.....Mt. Airy
 1911.....Hamlet; Philadelphia
 1913.....Jonesville
 1916.....Forshee
 1917.....Central Randolph

1918.....Retired
 Died 9-2-20

McLEAN, DANIEL HUGH

1942.....Daytona Beach, Fla.
 1944.....Gainesville, Fla.
 1953.....Lumberton, N. C.
 1957.....Hamlet

McLEOD, EDWARD MOTON

1925.....Catawba Ct.
 1927.....Catawba Ct.
 1928.....Lowesville; McPelah;
 St. James
 1932.....Shelby; Brooks
 1935.....Forest City; Shelby
 1937.....Bowmore; Mt. Zion
 1941.....Ramseur
 1944.....Leaksville
 1949.....Bomore; Piney Grove
 1954.....Johns; Piney Grove
 1956.....Bolton
 1955.....Retired

McLEOD, WILLIAM S.

1933.....Beauty Spot; Mt. Zion
 1936.....West Raleigh
 1941.....High Point; St. Marks
 1945.....Supt. Winston District
 1951.....Brooks Mem., High Point

McNAIR, JOHN R.

1907.....In School
 1908.....Monroe; Bethel
 1909.....Wilmington Ct.
 1912.....Pleasant Ridge
 1915.....Lawndale; Flat Rock
 1916.....In School
 1918.....Leaksville
 1921.....Norfolk
 1923.....Bowmore; Sand Hill
 1924.....Retired
 Died 11-28-41

McRAE, ROBERT B.

1922.....Goldsboro
 1923.....Ramseur
 1926.....Franklin
 1929.....Mt. Pleasant;
 Winston-Salem
 1930.....Hamlet
 1939.....Charlotte
 1940.....Supt. Laurinburg District
 1945.....High Point; St. Mark
 1950.....Reidsville
 1952.....Forest City
 1954.....Fayetteville

MOORE, DOUGLAS E.

1950.....In School
 1953.....Ramseur
 1954.....Leaksville
 1956.....Durham-Executive Sec.

PASS. NORRIS JAN

1906	Newport News
1907	Gastonia; Bessemer City
1908	Gastonia
1910	Lexington; Thomasville
1915	Charlotte
1918	Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1923	Supt. Western District
1929	Lawndale; Brooks
1932	Forest City; Lawndale
1935	Lawndale; Brooks
1944	Shelby; Brooks
1945	Philadelphia
Died 1953	

PATTERSON, GEORGE W.

1925	Boone
1926	Mooresville; Mayhew
1928	Marion
1929	Forest City
1930	Wilkesboro
1932	West Asheville
1933	Wilkesboro
1934	Catawba
1936	Newton; Conover
1939	Statesville; Philadelphia
1940	Kings Mtn. Ct
1941	Elkin
1944	John's Beaver Dam
1946	John's Beauty Spot
1947	Rowland; Salem
1949	Mooresville
1957	Kings Mountain

PATTERSON, JOHN JETHRO

1940	Fayetteville
1943	Hamlet
1950	High Point

PEACE, SAMUEL F. B.

1896	Lenoir
1899	Gastonia
1900	Laurinburg
1906	Charlotte
1908	Supt. Greensboro District
1914	Greensboro; High St.; Raleigh
1919	Winston-Mays Chapel
1921	Rowland; Salem
1926	Hamlet
1929	Lexington
1933	Greensboro; South
1935	Mt. Airy
Died	12-14-37

PEELER, S. A.

1895	Savannah Conference
	Warren St. (Macon)
1898	Trans. to N. C. Conf.
1902	Greensboro
1905	Pres.; Bennett College
1913	Reidsville
1914	Supt. Wilmington Dist.

1920	High Point
1926	West Raleigh
1930	Asheville
1936	Greensboro; High St.
1939	Guilford
1941	Greensboro Ct.
1942	Retired
Died	12-3-48

PHELPS, GRANDISON M. SR.

1918	Reidsville
1925	Supt. Wilmington District
1930	Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1937	Supt. Western District
1943	Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1945	Greensboro; St. Matthews
1950	Supt. Greensboro District
1957	Union Mem. Greensboro

PRINCE, JACOB C.

1904 ----- Austell
1906 ----- Oxford; Bullocks
1908 ----- Asheville
1910 ----- Reidsville
Died 5-23-11

RHYNE, ROBERT B.

1907	Lenoir Ct.
1908	Lincolnton Ct.
1909	King's Mtn. Stanley Creek
1912	Shelby; Lawndale
1915	Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1918	Hickory
1924	Lenoir
1932	Winston-Salem
	St. Andrews
1935	Asheboro; Mitchell
1941	Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1948	Retired
1948	Red Springs
1952	Cool Spot
1953	Beauty Spot
Died 9- -55	

ROBINSON, AVERY EDNEY

1905	Franklin
1906	Madison Ct.
1908	Townsville; Clarksville
1909	Lenoir Ct.
1910	Madison Ct.
1912	Walnut Cove
1915	Advance Ct.
1919	Pen Hook; Hale's Ford
1921	Wilmington
1923	Empire
1925	Sherrill's Ford
1927	Old Fort
1929	Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1930	Lincolnton; Mt. Holly;
	Stanley
1932	Retired

ROYSTER, WILLIAM R.

1947.....Addie Chapel; Glades;
Old Fort
1948.....Marion
1955.....Shelby Ct.
1956.....S. Greensboro
1959.....St. Home; Winston

RUSH, J. C.

1918.....Oxford
1921.....Newport News
1922.....East Thomasville
1925.....South High Point
1926.....Maxton; Piney Grove
1931.....Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1933.....Charlotte
1936.....Supt. Laurinburg District
1939.....Hickory
1940.....Reidsville
1945.....Winston-Salem;
Mt. Pleasant

Died 4-21-47

SAWYER, JAMES FRANKLIN

1943.....Sanford Ct.
1947.....Johns; Beauty Spot
1953.....Rowland

SCARBOROUGH, W. C. L.

1921.....Winston; Mt. Pleasant
1923.....Greensboro; High St.
1927.....Thomasville
1929.....High Point; Brooks Mem.
1931.....West Raleigh
1936.....Gastonia
1939.....Hamlet
1940.....Lenoir
1944.....Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1957.....Trans. Washington Conf.

SHAMBORGUER, NOAH S. T.

1907.....Winston; Boston;
St. James
1909.....Wilmington
1910.....Pleasant Ridge
1912.....Mayhew Ct.
1915.....Kernersville
1917.....Asheboro; Mitchell
1919.....Lowesville; Stanley
1921.....Mooresville; Mayhew
1924.....Sherrill's Ford
1925.....Greensboro; Northwest
1930.....Bowmore; Mt. Zion
Died 10-12-31

SHARPE, ROBERT C.

1933.....Thomasville; E. Midway
1937.....High Point; Brooks Mem.
1941.....Browning; St. James
1944.....Greensboro; Northwest
1946.....Durham
1950.....Warren St.; Mt. Carmel
Greensboro
1954.....Supt. Laurinburg District

SHARPE, RALPH DAVID

1943.....Lumberton; New Zion
1949.....Maxton
1950.....Hickory

SHIPP, ROBERT JAMES

1898.....W. Greensboro
1901.....Central Randolph
1902.....Statesville; Philadelphia
1904.....Shelby; Falston
1906.....Sherills Ford
1909.....W. Asheville
1911.....Trinity; Liberty
1913.....Ramseur
1916.....Empire
1917.....Oxford
1918.....Mt. Airy; Pilot Mtn.
1919.....Goldsboro
1921.....John's; Beaver Dam
1924.....Bowmore; Sand Hill
1926.....Beauty Spot; New Zion
1929.....Wilkesboro
1930.....Advance
1932.....Mt. Zion; St. Mark;
Hickory Bend
1933.....Retired
Died ?

STEWART, BENJAMIN W.

1937.....Advance; Oak Grove
1938.....Forest City
1939.....Leaksville
1944.....Winston-Salem;
Mt. Pleasant
1945.....Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
Chestnut Grove
1949.....Madison; Stoneville
Died 1958

STOWE, ARTHUR WILLIS

1942.....Boone Ct.
1943.....Cornelius Ct.
1945.....Denver Ct.
.....Lawesville Ct.
1958.....Newton and Granite Falls

STRICKLAND, CLARENCE E.

1941.....Hickory Bend
1943.....Goldsboro
1944.....Philadelphia; St. Peters
1945.....Shelby
1955.....Charlotte; Simpson

SWAN, E. I.

1911.....Shelby; Lawndale
1912.....Hickory
1915.....West Asheville
1916.....Lenoir
1917.....West Raleigh
1918.....Statesville; Philadelphia
1920.....Marion; Addies
1922.....Asheboro
1923.....Goldsboro; Rocky Mt.

1924.....Catawba Ct.
 1925.....Greensboro; Northeast
 1928 Bessemer City, Kings Mt.
 1929.....Old Fort
 1931.....Old Fort; Glades
 1932.....Boone
 1938 Beauty Spot; New Zion
 1939.....Retired
 Died 10-3-41

TARPLEY, THOMAS CLEMIE

1943 Walnut Cove; Walkertown
 1945.....Chestnut Grove
 1946.....Chestnut Grove;
 Laughlin Mem.
 1953 Randleman; Kernersville
 1954 Shady Grove; Cox Chapel
 1957.....Collins Grove

TATUM, ELMO CHATTMAN

1937.....In School
 1943 Summerfield; Collins Grove
 1945.....In School
 1946.....Southern Pines
 1947.....Prof. Philander Smith
 College
 1948.....Chaplain; Arkansas
 State College
 1949.....No record of appt.
 Chaplain U. S. Army

SHUFORD, JOHN W.

1915.....Goldsboro; New Bern
 1916.....Lenoir Ct.
 1917.....W. Asheville; Henderson
 1918 Waynesville; W. Ashford
 1919 Laurendale; Flat Rock
 1920.....Newton; Conover
 1924.....Gastonia
 1925.....Marion; St. James
 1928 Greensboro; East
 1935 Greensboro; South
 1954.....Mt. Tabor
 1954.....Retired

SIMPSON, I. GRANTHAM

1947.....Charlotte; Mt. Holly;
 Boulware Chapel
 1949.....Leaksville
 1954.....S. Greensboro
 1956 Trans. Washington Conf.

SIMPSON, JOHN W.

1933.....Lexington
 1934.....Thomasville
 1935 Greensboro; Northwest
 1942.....Retired
 Died 7-10-43

SKEEN, DAVID C.

1907.....High St.; Basses
 1910.....Machpelah
 1913.....Reidsville Ct.
 1914.....Asheboro; Mitchell
 1917.....South High Point
 1921.....East Thomasville
 1922.....Newport News
 1923 Rockingham; Philadelphia
 1925.....Mt. Zion
 1926.....Bowmore; Mt. Zion
 1930.....Elkin; Jonesville
 1931.....Elkin; Jonesboro
 1935.....Madison; Rock Hill
 1939.....Elkin
 1941.....King's Mountain
 1943.....Retired
 1944.....Randleman
 1947.....Warren St.
 1953.....Philadelphia

STATON, BEVERLY E.

1927.....Pen Hook
 1930.....Forest City
 1932.....Lowesville; McPheeler;
 St. James
 1933.....Lowesville; McPheeler
 1934.....Lowesville; Tucker
 1937.....Empire Ct.
 1940.....Randleman
 1944.....Jonesville; Elkin
 1947.....Elkin
 1948.....Catawba
 Died 5-28-50

TAYLOR, PRINCE A., JR.,

1929.....In School
 1931 Kernersville; New Bethel
 1932.....Northwest
 1933.....Greensboro; Northwest
 1935.....Thomasville
 1938.....In School
 1941 Instructor; Bennett Col.
 1943 Dept. Religious Educa.;
 Gammon Seminary
 1948 Editor; Central Christian
 Advocate
 1956.....Elected Bishop

THOMAS, BENJAMIN F.

1893.....Yadkin
 1894.....E. Greensboro
 1896.....Center; Julian
 1898.....Summerfield
 1900.....Rowland; Salem
 1902.....Hamlet
 1903.....Madison
 1905.....Lowesville
 1907 Forest City; Bracketown
 1909.....Wentworth
 1913.....Lenoir
 1914.....Wilkesboro

1919	Trinity; Liberty
1921	Walnut Cove
1923	Madison Ct.
1924	Randleman; St. Mark
1925	Asheboro Ct.
1926	Mt. Airy Ct.
1927	Advance
1929	Kernersville
1931	Midway; Chestnut Grove
1932	Sanford Ct.
1933	Charlotte; Mission
1934	Goldsboro
1935	Retired

THOMAS, D. L.

1914	Lenoir
1916	West Asheville
1917	Leaksville; Shady Grove
1918	West Raleigh
1922	Oxford, Bullocks
1924	Red Springs
1926	Lumberton
1929	Thomasville
1934	Winston-Salem; Bellview; Mt. Pleasant
1935	West Asheville
1937	Newport News
1939	Trinity; Glenola
1941	Philadelphia; New Zion
1942	Sanford Ct.
1943	Retired

THOMAS, W. O.

1910	Jefferson
1911	Marion; Old Fort
1914	Trinity; Liberty
1916	In School
1917	Suwanee
1918	Fort Street
1919	Covington
1920	Hogansville; Corinth
1922	Supt. Rome District
1923	Oak Hill
1924	Sweet Home
1926	Leave of Absence
1927	Sweet Home
1928	Center Point
1932	Van Buren
1933	New Edinburg
1934	McGehee
1937	Montgomery; Metropolitan
1938	Lafayette
1940	Hamlet
1943	Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1945	Secretary of Evangelism
1946	Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1947	Madison
1949	Retired
Died 3-6-50	

TOWNSHIP, SAMUEL L.

1940	Philadelphia; New Zion
1941	Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1943	Greensboro; Northwest
1944	Wilmington
1945	Reidsville
1948	Lenoir

WALLS, WILLIAM R.

1950	Charlotte; Boulware Chapel
1952	Philadelphia; Hoffman
1953	Greensboro; Laughlins
1954	Withdrew from the Methodist Church
1958	Withdrew from the Methodist Church

WEATHERBY, R. T.

1901	Sec. YMCA, Tennessee
1908	Murfreesboro
1910	Nashville
1912	Greensboro; St. Matthews
1918	YMCA Work—U. S. Army
1922	Evangelist; Bd. of Missions
1923	Field Asst.; Sec. Bd., Home Missions and Ch. Ext.
1924	Greensboro; St. Matthews
Died 7-21-40	

WEBB, PRINCE WILLIAM

1900	Ft. Smith, Arkansas
1902	Van Buren
1903	Little Rock
1910	Union Grove
1911	Marvel
1912	Fayetteville
1913	In School
1915	Lonoke; Richwood
1917	Hot Springs
1918	Hunter
1921	Forest City; Widener Msn.
1922	Brinkley Ct.
1923	Leave of Absence
1925	Indiana Harbor
1926	Porter
1927	Eufaula
1929	Davis Ct.
1930	St. James
1931	Supt. Marion District
1933	Little Rock
1934	Ft. Gibson
1935	Shawnee Ct.
1937	Nashville Ct.
1938	New Edinburg
1939	Danville Ct.
1940	Paroloma
1941	Johns; Beaver Dam

1919	Supernumerary
1939	Boone
1940	Mooreboro
1941	Hunters; Cornelius
1942	Wingate
1944	Bracket Town
1945	Charlotte Boulware
1946	Boulware; Monroe
1947	Goldsboro
1950	Retired

WINCHESTER, ROBERT W.

1901	_____	W. Asheville
1903	_____	Reidsville; Danville
1908	_____	Leaksville
1910	_____	Greensboro; St. Matthews
1912	_____	Supt. Winston District
1918	_____	Greensboro; St. Matthews
1924	_____	Lexington; Thomasville
1925	_____	Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1929	_____	Supt. Western District
1931	_____	Supt. Greensboro District
1935	_____	High Point; St. Marks
1941	_____	Supt. Greensboro District
1945	_____	Retired
1953	_____	Summerfield; Collins
Died 1958		

WOODLAND, HORACE C.

1934	In School
1935	Dept. Religious Education Morristown College
1936	Boston College
1937	Winston-Salem St. Paul Asst.
1942	Mt. Airy
1945	Director of Youth and Religious Education
1946	Conf. Youth Counselor
1947	Raleigh
1948	Supernumerary

WOOTTEN, Thomas H.

1931	In School
1932	Newport News
1934	Ramseur
1936	Greensboro; East
1937	Statesville; Philadelphia
1940	Gastonia
1941	Hickory
1946	Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1949	Lumberton
1955	Supt. Western Dist.
1951	Charlotte
Died 1958	

SUPPLY PASTORS

RECORD OF SERVICE: P. G. CARTER

1943 Androve Grove and Mitchell

1946 Advance Charge

1950 Oak Grove and Rural Hall

1957 Pilot Mountain Circuit

SPECIAL SESSION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

**HELD JULY 13, 1959 AT GALILEE METHODIST CHURCH
LAURINBURG, N. C.**

**Bishop E. A. Love, Presiding
William R. Crawford, Secretary**

MONDAY, JULY 13, 1959 — 1 P.M.

DEVOTIONS: By Bishop Love.

THE ROLL CALL was omitted for this Special Session.

MOTION by, G. M. Phelps, "that Horace C. Woodland, who has become supernumerary, that it be lifted for restoration." Horace C. Woodland was appointed by Bishop Love, to serve as Associate Minister, to L. M. Mayfield at St. Paul Church, Winston-Salem, N. C. Motion approved.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Area Conference will be held at Bluefield, West Virginia, October 7-9, 1959, John Stewart Church.

PURPOSE of the called Session was explained by Bishop Love, which has to do with Church Extension in the North Carolina Conference. The churches under consideration are Galilee, where the meeting was held and John Wesley Church in Fayetteville, N. C., where the last Annual Conference was held.

Bills were called for by Bishop Love, from the two pastors of the churches under consideration. They were presented orally. After a lengthy discussion, pledges were called for by districts, which amounted to \$2,538.00.

Greensboro District—\$785; Western District—\$580; Winston District—\$485; Laurinburg—\$688.

BISHOP LOVE pledged \$100.00, to be divided equally to the four districts.

MOTION, By C. M. Winchester, "That the Conference raise the Cultivation Fund; To the extent that all above \$10,000.00 to \$25,000.00, be used for church extension, and that other churches needing help share in the \$15,000.00. Motion passed.

SUBSTITUTE, motion by D. S. Harkness, ruled out of order

J. E. Brower, Motion, "That \$13.00 per delegate to the Annual Conference become the prevailing fee. Seconded by R. C. Shapre. Motion passed.

CLOSING REMARKS, by Bishop Love, expressing his appreciation for the attendance to this Special Session. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

BENEDICTION

WINSTON DISTRICT CULTIVATION PLEDGES

Mrs. Zenobia N. Asheville	\$ 25.00
H. A. Smith	25.00
W. P. Cole	25.00
J. J. Jones	25.00
J. W. Gwyn	25.00
J. J. Patterson	25.00
L. M. Mayfield	25.00
L. B. Eldridge	25.00
Miss Beatrice Watts	25.00
L. C. Jones	10.00
C. A. Barrett	10.00
P. G. Carter	10.00
W. T. Holland	10.00
L. C. Eldridge	10.00
Mrs. Iola Green	10.00
Buford Miller	10.00
H. M. Perry	10.00
Sister Ada Below	10.00
William R. Crawford	25.00
Richard C. Erwin	(paid) 25.00
L. A. Brown	25.00
Mrs. G. B. Rush	10.00
Bishop Love	25.00
TOTAL	\$455.00

LAURINBURG DISTRICT PLEDGES

Maxine Carter	\$ 25.00
Mrs. Zephia Walls	25.00
Mrs. A. L. Ashe	10.00
Rev. J. F. Sawyer	25.00
Mrs. Ida Page	10.00
Mrs. Armstrong	10.00
Mr. J. A. Galbreath	8.00
Rev. A. H. Douglas	25.00
Mr. A. N. Jacobs	25.00
Rev. E. C. Campbell	25.00
Mrs. Lubertha Thompson	50.00
Rev. Walter Downs	10.00
Mrs. Walter Downs	10.00
Rev. E. A. Williams	25.00
Bishop Love	25.00
Mr. Bruce Hargrove	50.00
Mr. A. R. McNair	25.00
Rev. R. C. Sharpe	50.00
Rev. G. E. Hogue	60.00
Rev. R. B. McRae	50.00
Mr. S. T. Brooks	50.00
Rev. J. W. Ferree	25.00
Mrs. Emly Benton	10.00
Mrs. Mary Carroll	10.00
Rev. J. H. McCallum	50.00
TOTAL	\$688.00

GREENSBORO DISTRICT PLEDGES

W. T. Brown, Superintendent

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Brown	\$150.00
Mr. Jarvis Mitchell	10.00
Rev. and Mrs. G. M. Phelps	50.00
Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Brower	50.00
Mr. Clarence Winchester	50.00
Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Tyler	25.00
Rev. and Mrs. Liston Sellers	25.00
Mr. D. W. Morehead	25.00
Mr. J. W. Sapp	25.00
Mr. C. C. Miller	25.00
Mr. Arthur Crump	10.00
Rev. W. N. Johnson	10.00
Rev. L. W. Coltrane	10.00
Mr. L. L. Shoffner (for Oxford Charge)	150.00
Rev. F. D. Caldwell	25.00
Rev. T. C. Tarpley	10.00
Rev. C. G. Bynum	50.00
Rev. F. D. Morehead	15.00
Miss Lola Powell	5.00
Rev. John Corry	25.00
Rev. G. H. Caldwell	25.00
Miss Fannie McCallum	25.00
Miss Estelle McCallum	25.00
Rev. D. E. Moore	25.00
Mrs. A. G. Vanstory	15.00
A. B. Caldwell (for Union Memorial Methodist Men)	50.00
TOTAL	<u>\$910.00</u>

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Greensboro District

CHARGE AND CHURCH		NAME OF PASTOR		CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP										ATTENDANCE																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
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Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Greensboro District

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men		Number of Churches	PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS				
		GENERAL INFORMATION						Number of Societies, (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions		Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses	
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.											
Bases & Raleigh Crossroads...	Eugene Black	2	195			Yes	143	2	60	255	2	45		2	\$ 70,000	\$		
Bethel & Wentworth...	E. J. Jones					"												
Brown Summit...	W. L. Naper	3			7	"	54	3		124					27,000			
Collins Grove...	T. C. Tarpley	1				"	1			200	1	20						4,000
Cox & Shady Grove...	C. G. Bynum	2				"												
Durham...	Douglas Moore	1			6	"		1	18	100	1	10		2				
Empire Circuit...	F. D. Morehead	3				"	25	4		200				3	8,500	200		
Greensboro:																		
Browning Chapel...	C. C. Armstrong	1				"		1			1	14		1	16,600			
Mount Tabor...	J. W. Shuford	1	60			"		1		600				1	35,000			
Saint Matthews...	J. E. Brower	1	285	32	7	"	42	1	286	1,200	1	61	10	1	155,000	15,000	11,000	1,200
South Greensboro...	W. R. Royster	3				"		3							80,000			
Union Memorial...	G. M. Phelps	1	60	15		"	100	1		400	1	20		1	76,000	1,500		1,600
Warren St. & Mt. Carmel...	F. D. Caldwell	2				"	96	2	40	650				2	50,000	3,000		700
Kernersville...	W. T. Lomax	1				"								1	6,000			
Laughlin & Ramseur...	L. J. Sellars	2	125		2	"	250	1		150	2	20		2	25,000	5,000		
Leaksville...	J. G. Corry	1	79	79	3	"		1	40	157	1	21		1	30,000	5,000	9,700	
Mt. Zion & Zion Hills...	J. H. Minor	2				"								2				
Newport News...	E. A. Williams	2	12	25	1	"		2							10,200	8,000		1,600
Oxford Circuit...	L. W. Coltrane	3	50	8	2	"	4	2	30	105				3	67,000	13,000		8,000
Raleigh...	O. W. Burwick	1	90	5		"	37	1	40	330	1	35		1	55,000	22,000		11,196
Randleman...	L. C. Spinks	1			4	"		1						1	20,000			
Reidsville...	G. H. Caldwell	1			3	"	100		35	132	1	20		1	40,000	12,000		2,180
St. James & Summerfield...	W. N. Johnson	2	61		12	"	23		2					2	20,000			
Saint Peters...	R. M. Martin	1	21	70		"		3	38	300				1				
Wesley & Chapel Hill...	W. E. Hairston	2			35	"	25		35	1,155				2	55,000		1,000	7,000
Total...		40	1,038	219	97	.....	900	30	624	6,058	12	286	10	41	\$846,300	\$ 84,700	\$ 21,700	\$ 37,476

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE						
		Total Full Members	Rec'd. this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Baptisms		Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Ex-clude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Evening Fellowship	Children	Youth	Older Adults	
											Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Child-Preparatory Members now on Roll													
Bolton & St. Peters.....	Walter Davis.....	63	3						65			10		20	10	10	10	50	23						
Charlotte.....	C. E. Strickland.....	289	10	2	1			3	299	4	2	15	18			35	46	15	104	130	26	18	23		32
Fairmont & St. Mark.....	John Monroe.....	32	4				4		32									3							
Fayetteville.....	R. B. McRae.....	250	43	2	10			4	301	9	2	82	21	42	42			40	150	120	18			60	
Goldboro.....	Farland London.....	20	1	1					23	4		4	3		7	5		5	20	14				6	
Hamlet.....	D. M. McLean.....	171	19	2	3		1	1	186	8		10		70	10		26	130	80	15				10	
Hickory Bend.....	D. R. McGirt.....	22	1						23		5	5			10	11		31	25					16	
Hoffman & Millers.....	John McEachin.....	63	7						70	1		9		27	19		23	78	54						
John Station & Piney Grove.....	J. H. McCallum.....	263	18	2				6	297	14	5	64	21	26	12	54	6	38	157	114	28	29	39	24	
Laurinburg.....	G. E. Hogue.....	285	54	4	4			7	365	9		68	18	14			6	145	97	20				20	
Lumberton & Beauty Spot.....	J. W. Ferree.....	275	12	8				5	290	10		87	25		43	15	59	213	132	24	40			27	
Maxton.....	O. M. Graham.....	138	8	5					156	4	4	25	14	29	40		16	109	90	30				30	
Mt. Zion & Philadelphia.....	I. A. Friend.....	225						4	225	5	13	14			95		125	88			35			10	
Pembroke & New Zion.....	E. C. Campbell.....	67	46						105	12	33	16	11		43		40	49	55					20	
Red Springs.....	F. F. McCallum.....	175	11		1			2	185	6	1	29	8		27		11	56	38	25	18	9		5	
Rowland & Salem.....	J. F. Sawyer.....	356	6	4	1				365	18	10	30	20		75		45	210	210	20				40	
Sanford Circuit.....	A. H. Douglas.....	159	52	4				4	204	10	8	35	23	35	40		35	125	90					15	
Wilmington.....	J. H. Shivers.....	7	2						9					10											
Laurinburg Circuit.....	Miles Murphy.....	142	1					2	141	6	3	17	16	36	22	11	24	126	100	10					
Total.....		3002	280	24	33	3	13	35	3341	120	84	463	247	408	620	105	380	1603	1425	216	105	241		238	

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS						W. S. C. S.		Methodist Men		Number of Churches	PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS				
		GENERAL INFORMATION						Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership			Number "Together" Subscriptions	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (Including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
		Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.											Number of Societies, Groups, or Circles	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)
Bolton & St. Peters.	Walter Davis.	2				Yes		1	10				2	\$ 4,500	\$	\$	\$
Charlotte.	C. E. Strickland.	1	103			Yes		1	80	300	1	42	1	70,000	10,000	2,500	10,900
Fairmont & St. Mark.	John Monroe.			1	1	Yes	8			14			2				
Fayetteville.	R. B. McRae.	1						1									
Goldboro.	Harland London.	1															
Hamlet.	D. M. McLean.	1			14	Yes	300	1	25	144	1	15		12,000	3,000	600	53,000
Hickory Bend.	D. R. McGirt.	2				Yes				100			1	3,000		1,200	
Hoffman & Millers.	John McEachin.	2	26			Yes		2		90				13,500	500		
John Station & Piney Grove.	J. H. McCallum.	2	114	9	18	Yes	10	2	24	400	2	38	1	19,000			200
Laurinburg.	G. E. Hogue.	2	100	112	38	Yes	100	1	39	240		40		82,000	7,800	2,000	12,500
Lumberton & Beauty Spot.	J. W. Ferree.	2	170		6	Yes	190	2	49	149	2	55	16	67,000	7,000		22,700
Maxton.	O. M. Graham.	1	100	90	8	Yes	125	1	40	150	1	30		17,000	10,000		
Mt. Zion & Philadelphia.	L. A. Friend.	2				Yes	304	2					2		40,000		
Pembroke & New Zion.	E. C. Campbell.	2		2	34	Yes	75			60				2,300			
Red Springs.	F. F. McCallum.	1			6	Yes		1	26	173	1	16		56,000	4,000		1,500
Rowland & Salem.	J. F. Sawyer.	2											2				
Pembroke & New Zion.	A. H. Douglas.	3			40	Yes	60	3		137			1	10,000			
Sanford Circuit.	J. H. Shivers.	1						1	6								
Wilmington.	Miles Murphy.	2				Yes		1			1		2	19,000			1,100
Laurinburg Circuit.																	
Total.		31	614	214	166		1,172	20	299	1,957	8	236	21	\$530,300	\$106,300	\$ 21,300	\$101,900

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH		CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP										ATTENDANCE			
		Baptisms										CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP										ATTENDANCE			
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Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men		Number of Churches Organized	PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS					
		GENERAL INFORMATION						Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership		Number "Together" Subscriptions	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (Including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses	
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.												
Asheville.....	Marshall McCallum.....	1	65	.....	14	Yes	4	1	35	41	1	18	.....	\$ 85,000	\$ 15,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boone & Beaver Creek.....	O. S. Davenport.....	2	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....	43	.....	.....	.....	3,000	200	.....	.....	.....	.....
Catawba Circuit.....	R. H. McDowell.....	4	65	.....	.....	"	.....	3	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	15,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500
Forest City & Union Mills.....	C. L. Gidney.....	1	44	87	8	"	42	.....	.....	121	1	22	.....	40,000	16,000	4,000	.....	.....	.....
Franklin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gastonia.....	J. T. Jones.....	2	85	.....	2	"	48	2	30	148	.....	15	1	35,000	10,000	.....	.....	.....	2,068
Hickory & Conover.....	R. D. Sharpe.....	2	150	.....	18	"	.....	2	.....	.....	1	35	.....	84,000	14,000	.....	.....	.....	13,000
Kings Mountain.....	G. W. Patterson.....	2	.....	100	5	"	38	1	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	12,000	5,000	.....	.....	.....	800
Lenoir & Warrior.....	S. L. Townsend.....	2	250	6	24	"	60	2	40	195	1	12	.....	25,000	15,000	.....	.....	.....	4,600
Lincolnton Circuit.....	C. O. Hill.....	3	.....	.....	13	"	60	2	15	186	.....	8	1	30,000	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lovesville.....	M. S. Laughlin.....	4	18	.....	8	"	50	4	22	100	1	43	.....	25,000	10,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marion.....	D. S. Harkness.....	1	3	1	1	"	40	1	37	760	.....	1	.....	25,000	10,000	.....	.....	.....	1,500
Mooreville.....	J. Q. Dula.....	4	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	4	.....	.....	1	15	.....	38,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500
Mooreboro & Philadelphia.....	S. B. McBrayer.....	2	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45,000	10,000	.....	.....	.....	9,000
Mount Holly.....	B. L. Burge.....	1	125	.....	10	"	.....	1	25	100	.....	16	1	20,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newton & Granite Falls.....	A. W. Stowe.....	2	150	15	5	"	100	2	45	62	.....	27	.....	40,000	14,000	1,600	.....	.....	2,200
Old Fort.....	John Bowman.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shelby & Brooks.....	A. E. Robinson.....	2	54	.....	16	"	110	2	55	.....	.....	34	1	19,000	7,000	3,000	.....	.....	.....
Stanley Circuit.....	B. J. Dula.....	2	40	.....	.....	"	50	2	.....	60	.....	17	.....	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Statesville Circuit.....	C. W. Bailey.....	2	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	2	28	2,400	1	10	.....	38,000	6,000	.....	.....	.....	6,400
West Asheville.....	Willis V. Leager.....	1	60	.....	.....	"	60	1	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	20,500	1,500	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wilkesboro Circuit.....	Charles Tyson.....	2	45	.....	.....	"	120	2	20	100	1	14	.....	50,000	6,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	.....	42	1,154	209	124	.....	782	36	352	4,341	10	292	4	\$652,500	\$134,700	\$ 8,600	\$ 42,568	.....	.....

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOLS													
	Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd, this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Baptisms		Officers and Teachers now on Roll	CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP					ATTENDANCE						
										Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults		Child, Div. 0-11 Years	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17) Yrs. and Over	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Evening Fellowship	Children	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions	Older Adults	
Advance.....	55	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	47	1	1	5	5	8	4	2	12	31	8	8	12	18	12	.....
Asheboro.....	220	8	6	1	10	1	1	1	235	4	6	10	17	20	44	29	6	36	152	65	12	18	12	.....
Elkin & Jonesville.....	205	2	3	2	5	3	2	1	201	14	3	65	23	10	51	40	12	59	195	130	45	20	32	21
High Point:																								
Brooks Memorial.....	224	7	...	3	...	...	...	...	234	2	3	5	12	4	49	35	1	38	138	97	46	29	20	85
St. Mark.....	367	19	3	7	1	...	1	2	392	4	11	71	17	17	24	26	22	27	133	99	31	19	...	...
Lexington & Midway.....	226	13	1	2	...	...	1	4	237	35	...	15	32	19	106	51	...	45	253	198	45	80	60	30
Madison.....	285	5	1	3	1	...	...	2	293	1	...	12	21	33	83	61	85	...	247	170	...	...	...	...
Mitchell.....	Open.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	69	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	78	1	13	5	...	...	30	8	2	14	59	33	...	5	...	...
Oak Grove.....	39	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	39	...	10	10	6	...	10	22	6	24	88	46	...	18	...	...
Penhook.....	182	6	...	2	...	...	1	2	187	...	6	17	7	...	12	11	...	16	39	30	...	...	...	...
Pilot Mountain.....	151	9	1	...	...	...	1	1	168	7	9	70	24	...	66	48	10	48	72	116	44	29	26	23
Thomasville:																								
East Thomasville.....	109	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	111	1	3	35	7	8	...	14	12	10	69	50	10	36	14	7
Saint John.....	220	11	...	1	...	...	...	4	226	8	11	16	18	16	34	43	10	18	103	80	35	33	16	...
Trinity Circuit.....	194	27	...	7	...	...	1	...	234	6	13	3	20	43	...	45	4	93	220	130	120	45	27	38
Winston-Salem:																								
Mount Pleasant.....	165	1	...	12	...	...	...	3	149	...	...	8	...	...	9	13	...	18	40	30	15	15	13	22
St. Andrews & Walnut Cove.....	233	10	...	2	...	...	...	5	243	3	...	36	14	...	80	38	...	33	165	100	84	35	16	...
Saint Home.....	155	1	2	...	...	...	...	5	153	5	...	5	20	...	32	48	15	...	115	85	...	...	...	...
Saint Paul.....	749	15	6	5	6	2	...	8	751	5	6	65	13	10	65	22	8	45	155	103	...	40	20	35
L. M. Mayfield.....																								
Total.....	3848	142	28	48	23	5	7	40	3978	96	72	385	273	186	703	558	195	536	2274	1570	487	366	296	277

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		GENERAL INFORMATION						Number of Societies, (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions		Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses	
		Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.											
Advance.....	L. H. Jones.....	1	.....	.....	1	Yes	3	1	20	7	10	.....	1	\$ 6,950	\$ 2,225	\$ 400	\$ 800	
Asheboro.....	J. W. Jones.....	1	98	.....	8	"	96	2	35	25	1	35	2	50,000	35,000	15,000	4,000	
Elkin & Jonesville.....	J. B. Bethea.....	3	180	.....	.....	"	70	3	38	310	2	25	4	60,000	8,500	5,600	7,200	
High Point:																		
Brooks Memorial.....	W. S. McLeod.....	1	90	5	7	"	40	1	93	10	45	42	1	75,000	.....	.....	4,388	
St. Mark.....	J. J. Patterson.....	1	109	41	11	"	15	1	90	590	1	51	1	100,000	15,000	.....	.....	
Lexington & Midway.....	G. A. Brooks.....	2	202	5	13	"	182	2	60	455	1	35	2	110,000	6,000	.....	16,500	
Madison.....	H. A. Smith.....	4	.....	.....	5	"	132	1	.....	.....	1	25	.....	75,000	6,000	.....	1,330	
Mitchell.....	Open.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	L. B. Eldridge.....	1	.....	.....	.....	"	20	1	16	75	.....	.....	3	19,000	.....	.....	650	
Oak Grove.....	Otto Withers.....	1	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	5,000	.....	.....	.....	
Penhook.....	Buford Miller.....	3	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	3	20	.....	1	9	3	14,000	1,000	.....	.....	
Pilot Mountain.....	P. G. Carter.....	3	.....	.....	3	"	40	2	39	49	1	10	3	26,000	.....	.....	900	
Thomasville:																		
East Thomasville.....	J. D. Ashford.....	2	45	.....	.....	"	59	2	34	80	1	12	2	40,000	5,000	.....	5,250	
Saint John.....	W. J. Cameron.....	1	60	.....	10	"	20	1	7	950	1	25	1	75,000	20,000	.....	5,500	
Trinity Circuit.....	W. P. Cole.....	3	115	.....	7	"	175	3	7	185	2	71	3	10,000	.....	4,000	.....	
Winston-Salem:																		
Mount Pleasant.....	W. R. Crawford.....	1	.....	25	3	"	15	1	20	68	1	25	1	40,00	5,000	.....	600	
St. Andrews & Walnut Cove.....	J. W. Gwynan.....	2	150	.....	4	"	.....	2	60	.....	1	22	2	105,000	7,000	6,000	18,000	
Saint Home.....	R. F. McCollum.....	1	95	.....	.....	"	48	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	75,000	.....	.....	10,300	
Saint Paul.....	L. M. Mayfield.....	1	80	.....	5	"	166	1	225	4,600	1	110	1	80,000	12,500	5,000	267	
Total.....		31	1,224	76	67		1,081	28	764	7,404	15	510	42	32	\$965,950	\$123,225	\$ 36,000	\$ 75,685

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Greensboro District

CHARGE AND CHURCH		NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										Connectional Fund					
			Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors						District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund		General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Interdenom. Cooperation Fund	
							Salary Claim for Pastor and Asso- ciate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate Pastor(s) Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned				
Bases & Raleigh Cross Road.	Eugene Black.		\$	432	747	289	2,365	2,200	165	2,365	109	308	308	40	40	300	300	15	284	8	8	
Bethel & Wentworth.	E. J. Jones.																	16	4	36	2	
Brown Summit.	W. L. Napper.		1,350	192	97	1,200	1,200			1,200	50	160	160	24	24	180	152	8	17	8	8	
Collins Grove.	T. C. Tarpley.		2,066	50	175	480	480				480	50	50	15	15	108			19	4	4	
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove.	C. G. Bynum.																		29			
Durham.	D. E. Moore.																	180	3	16	3	
Empire Circuit.	F. D. Morehead.					80	900	900			60	135	18					50	7	12	8	
Greensboro:																						
Browning Chapel.	C. C. Armstrong.		650			1,400	1,400			1,400	600	157	157	28	28	210	210	5		3	3	
Mt. Tabor.	J. W. Shuford.		990	750	964	100	890	800	60	860			119	16		120	3	29			3	
Saint Matthews.	J. E. Brower.		722	1,750	4,510	885	4,162	4,000	162	4,162	200		565	80		600	18	214			9	
South Greensboro.	W. R. Royster.																	300				
Union Memorial.	G. M. Phelps.		2,653	100	5,144	200	3,100	3,000	100	3,100	900	320	320	60	60	450	450	15	23		8	
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel.	F. D. Caldwell.		654	695	963	236	2,164	2,000	164	2,164	400	300	300	40	40	300	300	15	75	5	5	
Kernersville.	W. T. Lomax.			50	714	1,800	1,800	1,800		1,800	190	253	253	38	38	272	215	7	6	8	8	
Laughlin & Ramseyer.	Lister Sellers.			231	1,484	162	1,800	2,500		2,500	750	298	298	50	50	375	375	9	110	8	8	
Leaksville.	J. G. Corry.						440	440	40	480		48	48			25	6	20	4			
Mt. Zion & Zion Hill.	J. H. Minor.						440	440								31	3	4	4	4	4	
Newport News-Pleasant Ridge.	E. A. Williams.		360		5	100	1,300	1,300	144	1,444		215	115	36	30	270	100		68	6	6	
Oxford Circuit.	L. W. Coltrane.		1,553	390	645	45	2,202	38	2,240	130	285	285						210	15	77	7	
Raleigh.	O. W. Burwick.		2,249	515	1,051	130	3,019	3,019		3,019		320	320	59	59			25	3	2		
Randelman.	I. C. Spinks.		700		43	40	293			393	51	52	52	8	8	25	25	130	10	87		
Reidsville.	G. H. Caldwell.		738	948	1,017	150				2,600		384						88	7	44		
St. James-Summerfield.	W. N. Johnson.		914		381	423				650	110		95	13							4	
St. Peters.	R. M. Martin.		1,500	300	780	180	425	425		425	100	62	62	9	9	64	64			2	2	
Wesley & Chapel Hill.	W. E. Hairston.			5,187	200	150				2,000	200		200			250		15	84			
Totals.			\$14,509	\$13,398	\$19,043	\$3,267	\$23,469	\$28,016	\$884	\$34,543	\$3,918	\$2,902	\$4,630	\$407	\$711	\$2,554	\$4,208	\$173	\$1,260	\$	\$ 76	\$ 104

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Greensboro District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																	Grand Total		
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (Incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Convenience Benevolences							Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid									Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension			
Bassas & Raleigh Cross Rd.	Eugene Black	\$ 250	\$ 290	\$ 290	\$...	\$ 5	\$ 5	\$ 5	\$...	\$ 5	\$ 5	\$ 5	\$ 190	\$ 11	\$...	\$ 110	\$ 18	\$ 400	\$ 15	\$...	\$ 5,941
Bethel & Wentworth	E. J. Jones			25									28	12		19	6		10		287
Brown Summit	W. L. Napper			160		5			41	5		5	107	10		60	12	118	8		3,666
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley	75		75		6			44	3	3	3	52	9				3	81	10	3,314
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum												15				7	60	8		119
Durham	D. E. Moore									17		8	61				7	25	11	6	404
Empire Circuit, Greensboro:	F. D. Morehead			25		1		2				1	100			17	15	80	12	97	1,540
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong	90	90	90						2	2	2	76	10		124	5	175	5	184	3,545
Mt. Tabor	J. W. Shuford			37		5	10		21	5		5	60	3			5	175	5	184	4,314
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brover	1,150	1,150	1,180		20	20		275	10	20	10	435	50		254	20	920	20	995	17,019
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster			200															15		1,409
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	280	280	280		3			100	2		10	183	20		107	8	400	14	213	14,299
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	355	355	355					101		5		130	10			10	400	15	1,409	7,872
Kenersville	W. T. Lomax			40									25				5	40	10	178	1,390
Laughlin & Ramseur	Lister Sellers	237	237	237		6			65	4	4	6	102	18			5	300	12		4,008
Leakville	J. G. Corry	280	280	280		11	15		183	20	25	25	208	62		211	31	400	13	23	7,519
Mt. Zion & Zion Hill	J. H. Minor			29									53			30		24	8	68	812
Newport News-Pleasant Rdg.	E. A. Williams			40					34									40	10		3,356
Oxford Circuit	L. W. Coltrane	170		15		8			105	9	10	10	140				12	52	10	8	5,794
Raleigh	O. W. Burwick	335	335			9	10					9	158			110	15	400	13		8,656
Randelman	I. C. Spinks	35		23									46					25	6		1,583
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell			197					127	8	7	13	150					206	13		5,663
St. James-Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	75		75									54	12		24	9	80	8	77	1,729
St. Peters	R. M. Martin	38		38								3	55			29	3	35	5		3,590
Wesley & Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston			200					39				150			70	5	200	20	290	8,775
Totals		\$3,444	\$2,672	\$4,226	\$...	\$ 76	\$ 63	\$ 2	\$1,135	\$ 90	\$ 76	\$1 115	\$2,578	\$ 227	\$...	\$1,165	\$ 201	\$4,964	\$ 277	\$3,623	\$118,634

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										Connectional Fund			
	Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors				District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund		(General Administration	Jurisdictional Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Interdenom. Cooperation Fund	
					Salary Claim for Pastor and Asso- ciate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate Pastor(s) Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned			Paid	Apportioned	Paid
Bolton.....	\$ 2,700	1,000	1,200	\$ 17	\$ 400	\$ 540	\$ 25	\$ 540	\$ 200	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 8	\$ 4	\$ 64	\$ 40	\$ 4	\$ 59	\$ 5
Charlotte-Simpson.....				210	4,000	4,000		4,025	200	400	400	72	72	550	500		50	
Farmont.....	14			8	187			187		60		3			5	1	2	
Fayetteville.....																		
Goldboro.....	1,000	1,500	1,200	100				2,700	600	400					10			
Hamlet.....																		
Hickory Bend Circuit.....																		
Hoffman-Millers.....	270	42	49		900	881				102	102	10	75	5	10			
Johns-Finey Grove.....	600	450	745	183	2,500	2,100	200	2,300		300		45		322	20	200		
Laurinburg.....	1,600	46,915	78	180	2,380			3,680	150		478		25		325	4		
Laurinburg Circuit.....	1,100			236	2,250	2,171		2,171		240	240	45	45	335	125	9		
Lumberton.....	1,158	134	1,090	238	3,400	3,400			660	545	545	68	68	510	330	5	66	5
Maxton.....															100	5		
New Zion-Philadelphia.....		8,000	288	88								17	17		15	100	5	68
Pembroke.....		150	75	194	1,000			1,100		111	111	10	10	50	20	10		
Red Springs.....	200	1,000	300	235	2,349	2,349		100		280	280		10	44		10		
Rowland-Salem.....																		
Sawyer.....																		
Sanford.....		800	80	52	2,100	1,800		1,800		290	290	36	5	270	46	5	56	
Wilmington.....	477			30		200		200			50							
Totals.....	\$ 9,119	\$ 67,191	\$ 5,105	\$ 1,771	\$ 22,466	\$ 17,441	\$ 325	\$ 18,703	10,161	\$ 2,834	\$ 316	\$ 416	\$ 2,314	\$ 2,531	\$ 86	\$ 554	\$ 5	\$ 5

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																Grand Total			
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Conference Benevolences						All Other Benevolences		
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid									Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day			Reserve Pension	Conference Journal
Bolton.....	Walter Davis.....	\$ 30	\$.....	\$ 25	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 96	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 50	\$ 2	\$ 263	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 732
Charlotte-Simpson.....	C. E. Strickland.....			250						10		10	234			75	17		10		1,092
Fairmont.....	John Monroe.....			15		14				2		2	22				2	5	3		345
Fayetteville.....	R. B. McRae.....			200									200							238	678
Goldboro.....	Harlon London.....												26			15			5		71
Hamlet.....	D. H. McLean.....	350		350		5		144		2		2	203			13			16		8,172
Hickory Bend Circuit.....	D. R. McGirt.....			5								5	22			13					63
Hoffman-Millers.....	John McEchain.....	35		20					100			6	55			30	2	22	6	38	1,243
Johns-Piney Grove.....	J. H. McCallum.....			200									126				10		16		5,585
Laurinburg.....	G. E. Hogue.....			80		4		86		12		4	104			8	12				53,749
Laurinburg Circuit.....	Miles Murphy, Jr.....	200		60		2	2					2	34			5		28	10	95	3,056
Lumberton.....	J. W. Ferree.....	300		200					178			5	235			85	15	100	16		8,454
Maxton.....	O. M. Graham.....			75									107			50		51	15	33	519
New Zion-Philadelphia.....	L. A. Friend.....								13				136								8,604
Pembroke.....	E. C. Campbell.....												89			15			10		1,770
Red Springs.....	F. F. McCallum.....	125		125						7		5	135			50	5	25	10	10	2,794
Rowland-Salem.....	J. F. Sawyer.....			50									95			20			11	19	287
Sanford.....	A. H. Douglas.....	250		66									120			20	5	5	15		3,317
Wilmington.....	J. H. Shivers.....							27					20					35			819
Totals.....		\$1,290	\$.....	\$1,711	\$.....	\$ 25	\$ 19	2	\$ 548	\$ 2	\$ 36	\$ 41	\$2,509	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 444	\$ 70	\$ 574	\$ 146	\$ 433	\$115,891

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										Connectional Fund				
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Pastors and Associate Pastors						District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund		General Administration	Jurisdictional Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Interdenominational Cooperation Fund
						Salary Claim for Pastor and Asso- ciate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate(s) Travel and Expense Funds	Paid	Apporportioned	Paid	Apporportioned	Paid	Apporportioned				
Ashville.....	Marshall McCallum.....	\$ 2,900	.....	\$ 2,721	183	\$ 3,120	328	.....	\$ 3,120	455	\$ 322	322	\$ 63	\$ 63	468	468	\$ 10	\$ 210	\$ 10	\$ 10
Boone & Beaver Creek.....	O. S. Davenport.....	43	.....	.....	5	400	328	.....	328	.....	36	18	.....	8	8	52	2	51	.....	1
Catawba Circuit.....	R. H. Dowell.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	59	59	8	118	.....	2
Forest City.....	C. L. Gidney.....	900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	50	50	30	.....	.....	.....
Franklin-W. Asheville.....	W. V. Leazer.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	105	105	3	66	.....	.....
Gastonia.....	J. T. Jones.....	499	162	318	173	2,450	2,450	.....	2,450	.....	290	48	.....	3	326	326	57	.....	.....	.....
Hickory & Conover.....	R. D. Sharpe.....	9,500	6,200	785	185	2,600	2,600	.....	2,600	600	400	400	62	62	390	390	10	10	.....	.....
Kings Mountain.....	G. W. Patterson.....	500	.....	295	60	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	172	.....	20	140	140	8	.....	.....	.....
Lenoir & Warrior.....	S. L. Townsend.....	1,400	400	1,714	380	3,630	3,630	.....	3,630	500	.....	410	60	.....	510	510	10	130	.....	10
Lincolnton Circuit.....	C. O. Hill.....	.....	.....	.....	160	1,200	1,200	.....	1,200	.....	200	200	26	26	180	180	7	172	.....	6
Lowesville Circuit.....	M. S. Laughlin.....	660	180	350	92	2,600	2,200	50	2,250	400	300	300	56	36	200	200	8	88	.....	5
Marion.....	D. S. Harkness.....	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	200	200	8	158	.....	5
Mooresville Circuit.....	J. Q. Dula.....	670	.....	260	122	2,140	1,811	.....	1,811	32	280	190	42	32	321	264	8	8	7	2
Mount Holly.....	B. L. Burge.....	.....	10	194	242	850	800	50	850	60	150	150	16	11	120	120	5	35	4	3
Newton & Granite Falls.....	A. W. Stowe.....	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	345	345	9	215	.....	9
Old Fort.....	J. L. Bowman.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	.....
Shelby-Brooks.....	A. E. Robinson.....	.....	45	385	120	3,392	3,092	.....	3,092	200	267	267	67	67	503	260	8	67	7	7
Mooresboro-Philadelphia.....	C. B. McBrayer.....	1,296	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	66	2	142	.....	.....	2
Stanley & Hunter.....	Bert Dula.....	125	.....	.....	75	900	900	.....	900	.....	120	120	35	20	100	6	77	.....	.....	.....
Statesville Circuit.....	C. W. Bailey.....	1,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	240	6	68	.....	.....	2
Wilkesboro Circuit.....	Charles Tyson.....	93	.....	408	127	1,650	1,650	.....	1,650	100	240	240	20	20	177	177	5	61	.....	8
Totals.....		\$21,486	\$ 6,997	\$ 7,400	\$1,924	\$26,962	\$26,511	\$100	\$23,911	\$2,327	\$2,525	\$3,089	\$467	\$671	\$1,802	\$4,252	\$123	\$1,787	\$ 28	\$ 82

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																	Grand Total	
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	W. S. C. S. (Incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Convenience Benevolences						Conference Journal		All Other Benevolences
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid								Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension			
Asheville.....	Marshall McCallum.....	\$ 300	\$ 300	\$ 300	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$ 100	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 214	\$ 175	\$ 15	\$ 282	\$ 15	\$ 11,595	\$ 15		
Boone & Beaver Creek.....	O. S. Davenport.....			40					4			25	14			25	2	618		
Catawba Circuit.....	R. H. Dowell.....			100								87	82	6		81	15	1,903		
Forest City.....	C. L. Gidney.....											65				25		1,095		
Franklin-W. Asheville.....	W. V. Leazer.....			90								35				9	5	320		
Gastonia.....	J. T. Jones.....	633	633	633	5	6	26	12	7	5	140	100	15	145	13	15	145	13	5,203	
Hickory & Conover.....	R. D. Sharpe.....	250	250	250	22	25		15	15	15	229	50	25	250	15	25	250	15	21,424	
Kings Mountain.....	G. W. Patterson.....			32								120	8			7	75	10	1,433	
Lenoir & Warrior.....	S. L. Townsend.....	225	225	225	15	15	65	10	15	10	224	21				20	300	15	9,963	
Lincolnton Circuit.....	C. O. Hill.....			125					10			84	21			10	60	11	2,350	
Lowesville Circuit.....	M. S. Laughlin.....			200	10	13				5		125	5			12	130	14	1,099	
Marion.....	D. S. Harkness.....			100								104	21			10	100		1,416	
Mooresville Circuit.....	J. Q. Dula.....	125	125	50	7	10			7	18	134	15				12	105	10	3,752	
Mount Holly.....	B. L. Burge.....	110	110	110	4	4			3			83				5	100	8	2,082	
Newton & Granite Falls.....	A. W. Stowe.....			190	10	5			10	8	10	159	28			17	133	12	2,178	
Old Fort.....	J. L. Bowman.....			5								10							28	
Shelby-Brooks.....	A. E. Robinson.....	210	150	141	17	10	44			22		142	17			85	15	240	9	5,205
Mooresboro-Philadelphia.....	C. B. McBrayer.....			50								137	10			56	14	100	11	1,903
Stanley & Hunter.....	Bert Dula.....			45	8							67	15			29	10	70	6	1,653
Statesville Circuit.....	C. W. Bailey.....			140					7			134	9			56	10	175	10	2,388
Wilkesboro Circuit.....	Charles Tyson.....			137	2	2			2	2	9	107	27			14	131	12	3,286	
Totals.....		\$1,603	\$1,984	\$2,683	\$111	\$105	\$ 235	\$ 80	\$ 89	\$ 73	\$2,419	\$ 194	\$ 1,125	\$ 212	\$2,592	\$ 192	\$ 106	\$ 84,172		

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																		Grand Total
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			Conference Benevolences												All Other Benevolences			
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	T. S. C. S. (Incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Conference Benevolences								
												Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day		Reserve Pension		
Advance.....	L. H. Jones.....	\$ 75	75	\$	\$ 3	3	7	\$	25	4	\$	53	14	\$	65	11	120	8	\$ 1,673	
Asheboro.....	J. W. Jones.....	225	225	225	10	10	10	172	10	3	10	260	25		15	330	17	100	6,246	
Elkin & Jonesville.....	J. B. Bethica.....	175	175	175	10	10	10	27	10		15	151			240	15	262	17	100 10,366	
High Point:																				
Brooks Memorial.....	W. S. McLeod.....	271	271	200		5	5	137	2	10	10	160	3			10	211	15	189 10,249	
Saint Mark.....	J. J. Patterson.....	450	450	450				270	12	6		350			100	15	305	20	100 10,101	
Lexington & Midway.....	G. A. Brooks.....	225	225	225								150				16	40	17	115 16,527	
Madison.....	H. A. Smith.....	225	225	225	8	13		284	8			150	70		125	16	460	16		
Mitchell.....	E. J. Jones.....	27	27	12	1	2			1		2	19	2		2	5	2	6	289 6,905	
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	L. B. Eldridge.....	62	62	62								83					36	8	207 3,190	
Oak Grove.....	Otto Withers.....	25	25	25	5	14		42			5	86				2	60	10	96 2,169	
Penhook-Boone Mills.....	Buford Miller.....	50	50	50			5					84			25	8	145	12	188 2,752	
Pilot Mountain.....	P. G. Carter.....	175	175	175	6	10		37	5		3	143	27		75	14	193	14		
Thomasville:																			4,477	
East Thomasville.....	J. D. Ashford.....	155		116			3		2		7		30		75	8	105	10		
St. John.....	W. J. Cameron.....	225	225	225				158				150			25	16	285	15	284 3,901	
Trinity Circuit.....	W. P. Cole.....			145	3	1			1		15	125	1		105	9	147	12	143 8,150	
Winston-Salem:																			1,024	
Mt. Pleasant.....	W. R. Crawford.....	175	175	175				68				13	160			15	105	15	40 5,548	
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove.....	J. W. Gwyn.....	450	450	300	8	8		257	5		6	263	10		115	20	350	20	100 11,921	
St. Home.....	R. F. McCallum.....	225	225	150			8		4	4		6	130	11		11	325	12		
St. Paul.....	L. M. Mayfield.....	750	750	750	6	10		345	10		15	482	20		200	30	1,400	22		
Totals.....		\$3,965	\$3,810	\$3,770	\$ 66	\$103	\$	\$1,822	\$ 74	\$ 23	\$ 115	\$2,999	\$ 202	\$	\$1,150	\$ 237	\$1,884	\$ 260	\$1,425 \$128,745	

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